



# The Conglomerate

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## New Food, Prices Great Improvement In SUB Snack Bar

"Royal Purple Parfaits" and "Centenary Gents" are listed among the delicacies on the new and revised menu in the Snack Bar in the Moore Student Center.

Mrs. Bess Hudgins, campus dietician and cafeteria manager, is in charge of the Snack Bar and, because of its connection with the cafeteria, more foods can be made available at a lower cost. This year marks the first time that the snack bar is operated by the school with proceeds going directly to school funds. Mrs. Hudgins copied the "Royal Purple Parfait" from a dessert served in the Waldorf Astoria in New York and named the super hamburgers in honor of the basketball team.

The Snack Bar will observe the following hours during the 1959-60 session: Monday through Thursday—8:00 a. m. to 4:00 p. m.; Friday—8:00 a. m. to 4:00 p. m. and 7:00 p. m. to 10:00 p. m. It will be closed on Saturdays and Sundays.



The Snack Bar in the Student Center appears to be a favorite respite between classes. These students and faculty member are typical of those who find enjoyment in the super hamburgers, deluxe cokes, and fast, pleasant service.

## Classes Nominate Officer Candidates

Nominations for class officers were made this morning during the break. The election of class officers will be Monday from 8 a. m. to 2 p. m. Runoffs will be Wednesday from 8 a. m. to 2 p. m. Votes will be cast in the Moore Student Center on both days.

The designated meeting places for this and all other class meetings is as follows: Freshmen—Chapel; Sophomore—Gym; Juniors—Moore Student Center; and Seniors—room 114 of the Science Building. All class meetings will be short; therefore, prompt attendance is essential.

Each nominee for a class office

must have a minimum 2.0 average for the last semester. It is hoped that through the efforts of these class officers, the class as a whole will play a more active role in school affairs. There is an extra burden on the class president for he must serve on the Student Senate as well as preside at all class meetings.

Some of the Student Senate rules for election are: The polls will be kept only by members of the Student Senate who are not running in the election. No campaigning, verbal or otherwise, may be done within 10 feet of the polls. No student, except Student Senate members keeping the polls, will be allowed to remain at the polls after casting his vote.

According to Dub Fletcher, Student Senate president, it is hoped that active class participation will help discover student interest and help make our student government one which serves a number of interests rather than a select few.

## 13 New Voices Added to Choir

After twelve days of pleasantly combined rest, relaxation, vocal exercise, and skiing, during which time they accomplished an estimated semester's work, the Centenary Choir returned to the campus for the fall semester. Approximately nine hours of actual singing a day in the beautiful Dedication Lodge in Hodges Gardens greatly aided the Choir in becoming an integrated group. This period also helped acquaint new members with the habits, techniques, and styles of the organization.

New faces on the Choir scene include two sprightly Arkansas girls, both augmenting the soprano section. Sandra "Butchie" McCuiston, from El Dorado, and Sandy Gaskin from Springdale are members of the freshman class. Another frosh soprano, Elizabeth Gould, hails from New Orleans; Linda Kay Ellington of Rayville joins the alto section as a freshman. Natchitoches is the hometown of Ryan Horton, new member of the bass section.

Shreveporters beginning their first Choir year are: Jackie and Linda Rosett, soprano and alto, respectively; Lyndra Pate, alto; Jim Clancy and Tom Arnoldi, basses; and Barry Hope, tenor.

"Little lost sheep" returning to the Choir "fold" after year-long absences are Will Pringle, tenor from Shreveport, and Barbara Bourdier, alto from Crowley.

## Yoncopin Proofs

The proofs of the pictures taken at registration are back from the photographer and may be picked up downstairs in the Moore Student Center today until 1:00 p. m. and between 8:45 and 2:30 on Monday, Oct. 5.

Proofs may also be picked up Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday of next week during the free period at the Yoncopin office on the second floor of the Student Center.

The photographer will be in the Student Center Tuesday, Oct. 6, from 9:00 a. m. to 2:00 p. m. for the purpose of making retakes. The price of retakes is one dollar.

## Fraternity Rush Begins With Smoker, Sept. 30

Fraternity rush started its schedule for this year at the annual Smoker on Wednesday night, Sept. 30, at 7:30. A representative from each fraternity told the rushees about his fraternal organization and about its respective financial obligations. Reverend Barks, assistant minister at the First Presbyterian Church, spoke on the fraternity system.

Tonight and tomorrow night, Oct. 2-3, the two fraternities will hold their rush dances from 7:00 to 11:30. The Kappa Sigma fraternity will have the Class Cutters from Bossier City for their musical entertainment. Activities, pledges, and rushees will attend both parties.

Invitational banquets will be held next week-end. Kappa Alphas will treat Friday night, Oct. 9, and Kappa Sigmas will entertain the rushees Saturday night, Oct. 10.

Silence will begin at 12:00 midnight Saturday night, Oct. 10, immediately after the final party, the Kappa Sigma banquet, and will continue through 1:00 P. M. Monday. The fraternities will hand in bid lists to the dean's office between 8:00 and 12:00 noon Monday, and bids will be issued at 1:00 p. m.

During the formal rush period, no rushee can be with a fraternity man past 12:00 midnight or attend the first party with a fraternity member.

## Greek Pledges Elect Officers

Pledge classes of the three campus sororities have elected their respective officers for their pledge periods.

Alpha Xi Delta has selected the following slate: Janet Havelka, Texarkana, Texas, president; Merrill Ann Snider, Shreveport, vice-president; Rosalind Verduzco, Lake Charles, secretary; Ann Smith, Minden, treasurer; and Gail Granger, Lake Charles, chaplain.

Carolyn Searcy, Benton, Ark., will preside over the new Chi Omega pledges with help from Maury Johnston, Little Rock, Ark., vice-president; Charlotte Ann Stodghill, Rayville, secretary; Louise Gaughan, Camden, Ark., treasurer; Grace Jackson, Homer, chaplain; and Joy Cameron, Little Rock, Ark., activities chairman.

Officers of the Zeta Tau Alpha pledges are Sandra Poss, Shreveport, president; Nancy Evans, Shreveport, vice-president; Genie Gibson, New Orleans, secretary; Elsa Rocquin, New Orleans, treasurer; and Lyndra Pate, Shreveport, devotional chairman.

## Barksdale Holds First Fall Festival

Of interest to Centenary students and faculty is Barksdale's first Fall Festival. The program includes name band entertainment, displays of helicopters and planes, a sports and antique car show, and a sports car Gym-Khana. The Festival started yesterday and will continue through Sunday, Oct. 4. The purpose of the festival is to raise funds for recreational facilities for the personnel by selling admission tickets, which are good for all four days, at one dollar each.

This afternoon, beginning at 3:00 p. m., there will be a Sentry Dog Show and an Aircraft Static display.

At 6:00 p. m., the Bossier High School Band will perform; and from 7:00 to 11:00, Leon McAuliff's Western Band will play, with Tex Ritter and Smiley Burnette performing from 9:00 until 10:00.

Saturday, the midway opens at 12 noon. A fire, rescue, and helicopter versatility demonstration will be given from 2:30 to 3:30 p. m. The Sports and Antique Car Show is from noon to 11:00 p. m. The night's entertainment will be Claud Gordon and his band, with a special program of the Crew Cuts from 9:00 to 10:00.

Sunday the midway opens again at noon. The Sports and Antique Car Display will be open until 8:00 p. m., with the Sports Car Gym-Khana from 2:00 to 3:30 p. m. The USAF Drum and Bugle Corps will perform from 5:00 to 6:00 p. m. Music for dancing from 6:30 to 7:45 will be by the 745th Air Force Dance Band.

### WEEKLY CALENDAR

**Friday, Oct. 2**—Kappa Sigma fraternity rush dance. 7:00 p. m. at the house.

**Saturday, Oct. 3**—Kappa Alpha fraternity rush dance. 7:00 p. m. at the house.

**Monday, Oct. 5**—Debate Club to be formed. Everyone interested meet with Miss Alexander in Science Room 114 at the free period.

**Monday, Oct. 5**—Class officer elections from 8:00 a. m. to 2:00 p. m.

**Wednesday, Oct. 7**—Election run-offs from 8:00 a. m. to 2:00 p. m.

## Temple Receives L.M.T.A. Award

The Middlebrooks Chapter of the Student National Education Association-Louisiana Teachers' Association held a supper at the home of Dr. A. J. Middlebrooks, faculty advisor of the group, on Friday, Sept. 25.

Highlighting the evening was the presentation of a \$150 cash award by Dave Lawson, president of the Louisiana Men Teachers' Association-Caddo Parish Organization, to Austin Temple. Temple, who is majoring in high school science and math education, serves as treasurer of the local SNEA-LTA chapter, and received the award for his outstanding work in the field of education. Also representing the LMTA was the secretary, Arnold Herrington, a Centenary graduate.

Assisting Mrs. A. J. Middlebrooks in serving the sixty members and guests were her two daughters, Mrs. Jack Williamson and Mrs. Tom Ashworth, both former members of the SNEA-LTA.

Anyone who is majoring in education or who plans to teach is urged to stop by the table in the Student Center or the one on the basement floor of the science building to register for membership in the SNEA-LTA.

Officers for this year are: President, Zina Hengy; Vice-President, Patty Owens; Secretary, Connie Gathwright; Treasurer, Austin Temple; and Historian, Beverly Wingo.



## School Spirit?

At the expense of being thought of as a disciple of the most admirable Dr. Clark, I would like to say my "two-bits worth" about school spirit. This is not a legislative document, by that I mean that it has not been sanctioned by the Student Senate, but it is an earnest plea from one student to others regarding the traditions of freshman hazing.

Traditions and laws are "good," I suppose, but one finds it most difficult to form traditions and to legislate laws which are fair in every case and from year to year.

Freshman hazing was begun, I imagine, in an effort to teach the newer members of the college group the procedures of the college and respect for the school, and, in addition to this, to inspire the students to participate in worthwhile activities which would educate them in both the academic and social realms. As I have observed freshman hazing this year, I have found that some of the hazing was not done in the spirit which I believe inspired this activity. Other students have gone "above and beyond the call of duty," and they are to be commended. However, I think that a greater unity and much more worthwhile activity would result if ALL activities of this sort were of a positive nature rather than a negative. Why not build school spirit rather than tear it down?

—Dub Fletcher

## Laissez-Faire Expression

By KATHY MACK

We esteem so highly the freedom of speech and press that we have in the United States, as much, I fear, as we praise our "laissez-faire" economy, without realizing the infringements on either. There are many things that point to our lack of freedom of expression in certain areas, and the problem seems to be that there is no universal guide to set the rules. Even God's opinions are interpreted differently by various spokesmen on this issue, e. g. the individual's freedom of choice versus the authority of the "Bible." The problem also seems to be education versus no education; that is, should the educated person be allowed to exercise his freedom of choice in what he sees or reads and the uneducated, or common man, have his choice set for him. The same conflict exists between the wisdom of the old and that of the young.

Observe the various cases of limitation. Of the more attention-getting is the pornographic and obscene versus the clean and moral. D. H. Lawrence's "Lady Chatterly's Lover" takes the spotlight here. Though able to be published and sent through the mail, it is censored throughout the nation in various cities by boards similar to Shreveport's censorship board. Other books are just as controversial, particularly certain drug-store pocketbooks. In the same light is children's susceptibility to certain immoral comic books. Is the duty of censorship to be assumed by the government, by parents, by censorship boards, by women's organizations, or by the individual?

The slander sheet is another medium of expression subject to censorship. No one wants his skeleton in the closet disturbed, but the "Constitution" prohibits censorship until the ideas are expressed. Once the news is out, however, no fine or jailing of any kind can erase the printed word. One wonders if man really judges what he reads for what it's worth, which is part of the issue.

Another part of censorship that is usually praised by Americans is in the realm of free speech, namely that of Communists and other subversives. This was first enforced by legislature in the Smith Act of 1940 and later expanded in the Communist Control Act of 1954. The American people highly esteem this form of censorship, for who wants those "dirty Communists" preaching their doctrine in our democracy. Justice Holmes said about this attitude: "If in the long run the beliefs expressed in proletarian dictatorship are destined to be accepted by the dominant forces of the community, the only real meaning of free speech is that they should be given their chance and have their way."

So, what's the verdict? Each will have his own opinion and will resolve the conflict for himself. However, does one accept the folkways of society or form his own ethics? Do the so-called educated or intelligent think that they can judge for themselves and is this choice limited to them? Do individuals who accept the morals of the church or the society think that those who set their own ethics are too radical? Is there a meeting point for the two and is a democracy the fulfillment of this reconciliation?

### FOOTNOTE:

The intent of this article is to present an issue in an effort to stimulate responses from the students, the faculty, and the administration. These responses will be used in another article to sum up various opinions. These responses can be left in the Conglomerate office, in Box 45 of James dormitory, or can be given to me personally and verbally.

## VISIT THE 'S.U.B.'

Plans are being made to create larger use of the Moore Student Center. Added and improved facilities include a ping pong table, a pool table and revised Snack Bar. All students are urged to take advantage of the privileges and use the "Sub."

The following hours will be observed by the Moore Student Center during the 1959-60 session:

Monday-Thursday	8:00 A. M. to 10:00 P. M.
Friday	8:00 A. M. to 11:00 P. M.
Saturday	12 Noon to 11:00 P. M.
Sunday	1:00 P. M. to 5:00 P. M.

Saturday hours must be flexible in order to allow for scheduled parties and dances.

## 48 Happy Coeds Pledge Sororities After Rush Week

Rush week began on the Centenary Campus as seventy-five girls registered at Panhellenic Orientation, Monday night, Sept. 14. Following a meeting at the Brown Memorial Chapel, the girls congregated at the Moore Student Center for a coke party sponsored by Panhellenic. Thus began a week of excitement and anticipation, during which the girls were hosted at a variety of parties.

Open house on Tuesday afternoon afforded the girls their first opportunity to view the interior of the three sorority houses and to meet the girls from each of the sororities.

### Flappers and Crumpets

Wednesday and Thursday night parties took on a zany atmosphere as Alpha Xi Delta took the rushees back to the days when Mother was a flapper and served bathtub root-beer in a typical speakeasy of the 1920's. The girls also spent an evening with "My Fair Chi O" at the Chi Omega house and were treated to an English atmosphere which included "tea and crumpets" and songs from the musical "My Fair Lady." The Zeta Tau Alpha house was converted into a dormitory, complete with stuffed animals of all kinds, and the rushees were entertained with selections from the hit musical "Pajama Game."

Friday night took on a more serious atmosphere, as denoted by the white formals worn by all the sorority girls. Alpha Xi Delta invited the rushees to their Rose Garden Party, and Chi Omegas were hosts at their traditional White Taper Tea. Rushees also spent an evening in a "Zeta Heaven," complete with stars, clouds, and Saint Peter's gate.

### Pledging Saturday

Saturday afternoon at 1:30 pledging ceremonies were held at the respective sorority houses.

Those pledging Alpha Xi Delta were: Louella Bains, La Verne Burks, Beverly Crawford, Linda Erickson, Gail Granger, Janet Havelka, Martha Ann Simmons, Ann Smith, Merrill Ann Snider, and Rosaline Verduzco.

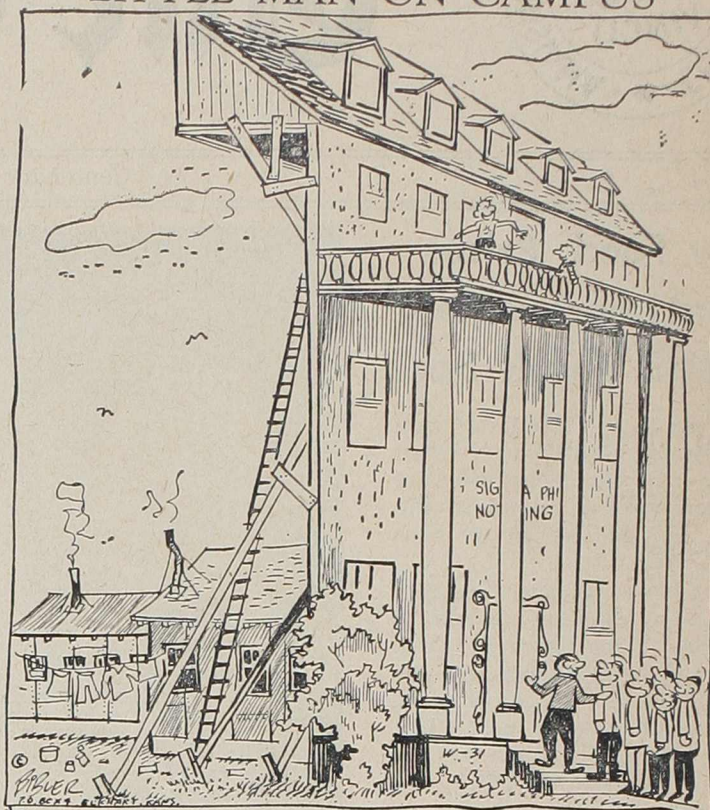
Chi Omega pledges included: Martha Ann Brown, Joy Camerer, Linda Kay Ellington, Louise Gaughan, Mary Ellen Gaughan, Becky Graham, Grace Jackson, Maury Johnston, Sandra McCuiston, Carolyn Searcy, Sammie Kaye Smith, Charlotte Stodghill, Kay Tipton, Nancy White, and Gail Yarbrough.

Pledging Zeta Tau Alpha were: Mary Allen, Mary Bostick, Linda Sue Brown, Diane Caldwell, Colleen Cathey, Nancy Evans, Cathie Franklin, Judy French, Genie Gibson, Gay Griffith, Karen Kirby, Martharene Long, Carol Manghan, Ann Meridith, Dollie Miller, Lyndra Pate, Sandra Poss, Elsa Rocquin, Jackie Rosett, Ann Schaaf, Melba Smith, Betty Turner, and Kay Woodruff.

### NOTICE

The faculty is encouraging students having late morning classes to eat breakfast late to allow the people with 7:50 classes to eat first. Following this suggestion will relieve the morning breakfast line.

## LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



## Publicize Your Group

The Conglomerate staff wishes to give the widest possible publicity to every organization on campus. In order to achieve this with the most possible benefit to the various organizations we would like to give the following suggestions.

Though our reporters fill a great portion in reporting campus events, part of the responsibility of getting the news publicized lies with the organizations themselves. In view of this we suggest that each group appoint a person to be responsible for releasing news to the college press.

In reporting stories to the paper, please follow the few rules listed below:

1. Have your releases typewritten and double-spaced, if possible.
2. Spell all names correctly and include the correct home town of every student mentioned in the story.
3. Have the story in the Conglomerate office no later than the deadline, Monday noon.

Following these procedures is not difficult for any organization and it helps us work with your group to give ample publicity to its activities. Also, remember the limitations of the newspaper. If makeup problems force us to withhold some story from one week's issue, please be patient with us and look for it the next week. When the situation comes up, such a measure is completely unavoidable.



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(NOTE:—Communications or comment from the student body or faculty on any subject are welcome. Letters should be under 300 words and typewritten, if possible. All letters are subject to editing to meet space requirements. Each letter must be signed although signature will be withheld on request. No letter will be returned unless called for personally.—Editor.)





"Playing in the rain" and enjoying themselves around the traditional campus fishpond are this week's personalities. Barbaran Hyde ducks her feet, while Fane Bussy helps Terrell Rourke watch for fish. Not pictured, due to the inclemency, is Chance Wayne.

## Ivy League Personalities Eat Gumbo, Pick Locks

The words Ivy League, besides meaning button-down shirt collars, calls up, for most people, pictures of snobbish Yale and Harvard students, arrogant, remote, and exclusive. A likeable exception is Chance Wayne, a junior pre-law transfer from Princeton. Chance is from Hillcrest, Long Island, but he decided to come to Centenary when his family moved to New Orleans. Before Princeton he went to a boys' school in Groton, Conn.

Chance has had quite a summer. He worked as a beach boy at a resort on Long Island, Far Rockaway. "We were paid a dollar a day for taking care of two or three cabanas, but the tips were generous." He remembers the last party of the summer when one of his friends ran down the roof of one of the cabanas playing a bongo drum.

The climate seems to have thawed all Chance's Eastern reserve; he is easy to know and is a gracious host. Chance lives interestingly and well in a Town House apartment overlooking the city. His well-stocked record collection, like some of the things he serves, is pretty dry; strong on Bach and modern jazz, short on everything in between. About the South, and especially Centenary, Chance is enthusiastic. He praised the genuineness and femininity of Southern girls. "About the only thing I'll really miss here," he says, "are the Eastern sports, especially lacrosse."

### Picks Locks

"Expert lock picker—part time. Works best by night."

Such an ad might be placed by Barbaran Hyde, senior voice major. Barbaran and friend were touring New York city with ambitions of seeing Carnegie hall and the Metropolitan Opera house when, to their dismay, they found the door of Carnegie hall locked. Barbaran, however, is not one to accept failure without some resistance. Reaching to her hair, she extracted a hair pin and thus picked the lock successfully. When she opened the door she found herself on the stage and proceeded to sing a few arias to the empty seats before departing.

She is coed vice-president of the Student Senate, president of Cen-Coe, treasurer of the Maroon Jack-ets, president of Phi Beta, standards chairman of Zeta Tau Alpha, and soprano sectional leader of the Choir.

### "Gumbo Kid"

Terrell "Durwick" Rourke, sophomore, hails from Berwick, Louisiana. Early in his college career Terrell's thick Cajun accent prevented his pronunciation of the letter "B." When asked where he was from, he replied "Durwick," and was immediately given the name by his associates.

A Ministerial student, Terrell plans to obtain a degree in Humanities at Centenary and then go to Duke University to further his education.

One thing that Terrell does not like about Centenary is the fact that there is no good hunting in its vicinity. "You have easy hunting here," he claims. "All you have to do is just go in a boat and paddle out to the blind. I have to go out and walk in the marsh."

When asked about his favorite food, Terrell smackingly replied, "Gumbo."

### French Frosh

"If there's anything I can't stand," exclaimed freshman Fane Bussie, "it's French gumbo! I guess it's because my grandmother makes union gumbo. She's so French it's not funny."

Fane resides off campus. She plans to major in Religious Education and minor in Physical Education. Her activeness in church work keeps her busy, but she finds time for sewing, singing, and playing the piano. She also enjoys basketball and volleyball and plans to give the Independents her support in intra-murals this year.

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EVERYTHING FOR THE COLLEGE MAN

## New Girls' Dorm To Honor Sexton

"George S. Sexton Memorial Dormitory" has been approved by the executive committee of the college Board of Trustees to be the name for Centenary College's new dormitory for women. The dormitory will bear the name of the late Dr. George S. Sexton who served as president of the college from 1922 to 1932.

Construction for the new dormitory will get under way later this year. Dr. Mickle said that the target date for completion of the facility is September, 1960.

### Building Plans

The structure, which is to be patterned after Hardin Hall, will cost approximately \$500,000. Plans call for a one-story structure of brick and steel, to be located immediately east of the T. L. James Memorial Dormitory, between it and the cafeteria. The building will house 84 women students and will be the third dormitory for women on campus. Hardin Hall accommodates 68, while James accommodates 96 women students. Both dormitories have been constructed during recent years under Dr. Mickle's term as president of the college.

### Honors Sexton

The decision to name the projected new dormitory for the late Dr. Sexton stemmed from a desire on the part of many to honor him for his many services to Centenary College. It is particularly appropriate that one of the buildings at Centenary College, for which he did so much, should bear the name of Dr. George S. Sexton.

"The new dormitory will stand as a lasting tribute to him and a reminder of the years of effort he devoted to Centenary College and the cause of Christian education."

## Cadets Complete Summer Training

Nineteen Centenary ROTC cadets successfully completed six weeks of military training at Ft. Hood near Killeen, Texas, this summer.

Designated as distinguished military students were the following cadets: W. E. Carpenter, Carey L. Davis, Hoyt N. Duggan, David L. Forte, Coan I. Knight, R. M. Miller, R. H. Shaw, Carson J. Turnage, and Charles R. Walker.

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# ON CAMPUS

By GINNY EMERSON

George Gilmer, Rives Grogan, Patsy Stamps, and Jay Lang were some of the many Centenaryites who traveled to see L. S. U. defeat T. C. U. at Baton Rouge last week-end.

Sporting new hair cuts are some very angry frosh boys: Ricky Biggs, Hoyt Bain, Don Couvillion, Holland Collins, and Sonny Elder.

The Kappa Alpha's were hosts at a coffee Tuesday morning at their house. Milling around drinking coffee were Tanne McDade, Penny Hawkins, Gail Delanney, Ralph Akin, Lawrence Waschka, Beverly Paul, Jimmie Hamric, Ann Moreneaux, Jane and Judy Rhodes, and Jon Oliver.

Frosh thought the world was coming to an end at 1:00 a. m. last Friday morning when upperclassmen staged the annual freshman night in Hardin Hall. Rosalind Verduzco, Amy Matthews, Gerry Rainwater, and Carolyn Searcy were seen doing knee-bends in their sleep. Joy Camerer, Maury Johnston and Lynn Woods had to give extemporaneous speeches; Martha Ann Brown, Roxie Lewis and Marsha Townsend had to participate in various other activities.

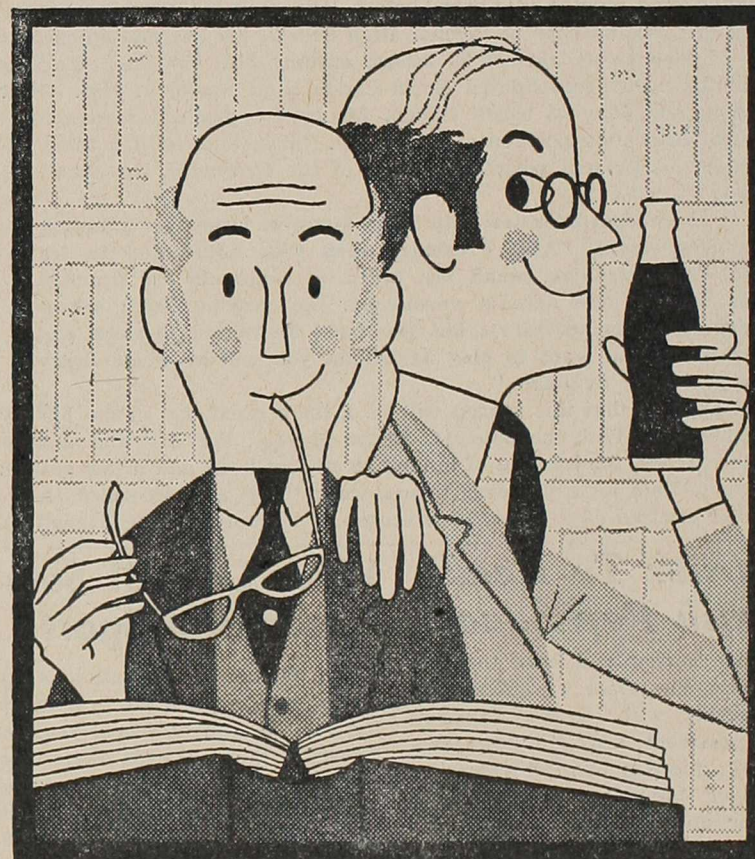
Fran Littrell, Jean Stevens, Dub Fletcher, Abbie Terry, Gail Yarbrough, Patsy West, Sallie Clingman and Carol Reichelt certainly got their fill of good ol' hot dogs at the MSM welcome party at Camp Margaret last week. Terrell Rourke and Paul McMahon served as cooks.

Seen spitting watermelon seeds at the Kappa Sig house were Dannie Calhoun, Keith Lloyd, Jim Daigle, Spiro Cosse, George Acton, Buddy Hawkins, David Graham, and Bill Sanders.

Late congratulations are in order for Marilyn Hendricks and Dick Morehead. Girls wearing the Star and Crescent of Kappa Sigma are Patsy Stamps and Elizabeth Reeves. Ann Moreneaux is displaying the KA drop letters.

Johnny Mathis sang at the Kappa Sig house last Friday night—via stereo. Drifting across the dance floor were Mary Allen, George Gilmer, Charlotte Stodghill, Don Couvillion, Pat Burns, and Bobby Ross.

We hear that the frosh "turned the tables" on the seniors this week. Right, Fred???



## Mr. Funk & Mr. Wagnalls

"In re this matter of Good Taste," said Mr. Funk to his secretary, "take a definition." "Taste: sensations . . . excited . . . by the . . . action of the gustatory nerves . . ." "And add this," put in Mr. Wagnalls. "Taste: the faculty of . . . appreciating the beautiful . . ." "That," said Mr. Funk, "wraps it up. Mr. Wagnalls, will you join me in a Coca-Cola?" "So good in taste . . ." "And . . . in such good taste!"



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## ● SPORTS SPOTLIGHT ●

By RICKY BIGGS  
KNOW YOUR COACHES

Whenever any organization makes a decision to expand and move forward, the prime requisite of their planned operation is to engage a person with the ability to build a foundation, and the experience to carry it to completion. It was with this in mind, that the officials of Centenary College engaged as Athletic Director and Head Basketball Coach, Orvis U. Sigler.

For a coach who had spent four years as head mentor at the United States Military Academy, doing much the same building job, and seeing the fruits of his labor pay off last season with a prized win over Navy, the decision to move to a comparatively small college was an extremely difficult one to make. His youthful West Pointers posted high records and it was under his leadership that the Black Knights participated in their first holiday tournament. But, as in the past history of his coaching, the urge to expand, build and, of course, better his own future, brought the genial coach to Centenary.

Following service in World War II, the native Missourian returned and graduated from Southwest Missouri State College in 1948, and immediately accepted a high school coaching job in his home state. Sigler wound up a four-year building stay that progressed from a one-win season previous to his taking the job, to a final 22-7 mark. This fine record earned him a promotion to assistant coach and graduate manager of athletics at his college alma mater, under the now head coach at Memphis State, Bob Vanatta.

After helping coach the Southwesterners to a national NAIA championship in 1952-53, Sigler took the reins at Missouri Valley College the following year, completing the season with a 14-9 mark, and a fine 10-2 record in conference play. Army officials, impressed with his record, offered the position at the Academy, where he remained until last season when he came to Centenary.

A firm believer of fundamentals and conditioned athletes, the 36-year-old coach has his task cut out for him once again this year with Gent competitors being even stronger contenders than last season.

### FROSH COACH MOOTY

Freshman coach once again this year is Douglas Mooty, the likeable, middle brother of Centenary's famous coaching brothers. A graduate of Centenary in 1951, Coach Mooty spent two years in the Marine Corps, including nine months in Korea, before launching his coaching career. In his first two seasons at Belcher High School, his charges amassed a total of 46 wins as against 20 losses, earning him the head coaching job at the newly consolidated North Caddo High School in 1955. After spending one year at North Caddo, Mooty accepted an instructor of Physical Education position at Centenary. Since then he has been promoted to his present position as head of the Freshman basketball activities.

In a recent interview with coach Sigler he issued the following announcement, "ALL Freshmen men who would like to try for the Freshman squad are urged to come out for practice as soon as the date is announced. No previous high school experience is necessary, but you must be willing to work and learn; if you want to play basketball you will be given every opportunity available."

It appears that this season will be a truly great one in the history of Centenary. With the potential of the players, the skill and wisdom of the coaches, the backing of the entire student body and a few gallons of sweat, I am sure that even though we do have a tough schedule, we may be assured of a great '59-60 season of Centenary Gent Basketball.

### Turner To Head Frosh Pep Squad

Betty Turner will head the Pep Squad's new slate of officers as president, with Grace Jackson, vice-president; Amy Matthews, secretary; and Kay France, treasurer.

Under the leadership of Noni Miller and Ann Moreneaux, drill team leaders, and the tutelage of Cadet Captain Winston Miller of the Pershing Rifles, the girls are learning how to march. There will also be a drill team chosen from the Pep Squad to perform at half-time during the basketball games.

The uniforms will be white sweaters with maroon "C's," maroon straight skirts and white shoes. A committee is to be appointed to work with Mrs. Nichols and Miss Estes to form the rules for the coming year.

Some proposed activities for the year are cheering and ushering at all home games. To raise money for the out-of-town trips, the club plans to sponsor the Gents Club barbecue to be held after the Freshman-Varsity game.

### WRA Council Sets Intramural Sports

The Women's Recreation Association council held its first meeting for the current school year on Tuesday, Sept. 22. At this time, the council set the date for the first intramural practice, which was to be held Tuesday, Sept. 29, at 5:45 P. M. At the first practice, team rosters, which must be submitted to the council by Oct. 1, were to be drawn up and a preliminary orientation was to be conducted. A more formal orientation will be conducted in chapel at a later date.

The first team participation sport will be volleyball. At the same time, individual tennis matches will be scheduled.

Members of the WRA council are: President, Pheribee Monroe; Vice-President, Mary Lou Lowe; Secretary, Majorie Brothers; Treasurer, Anne Hardner; Reporter, Carol Tyler. Miss Estes is the faculty advisor.

### Forecast Bright For Intramurals

By DAVE WHITE

Well, another school year has started; registration is over and all of the freshmen's heads are shaved.

It will be turning colder in the near future and almost everyone's thoughts will turn to football. People break out the binocular flasks, old high school jackets, letters and sweaters to impress the girls, and go see football games.

As for the national picture, L. S. U. are defending champions, but here at Centenary the K. E.'s are the champs. They won that honor by squeezing the B. S. U. 7-0 last fall. It looks like it will be a good year for intramural touch football with all of the teams offering many good players.

### KE CHAMPS

K. E.'s have about the same team this year as last with the addition of some more all-staters. Roger Williams, Spanky McCoy, Fred Willis and Jim Daigle will be returning.

B. S. U. will be a strong rival for all of the teams this season. Many of their outstanding players will be returning and as last year's runnersup they will be a double threat.

KA's will have a very strong team this fall with Ken "Mole" Bond and Vernon Kalmbach at the wheel. With their record of last year they will be a team to watch. Also watch for Ken Hayes and Howard Collins on this potential powerhouse.

### MSM VIES

M. S. M. will have an exceptionally good team this year, with Dub Fletcher, who also plays basketball for the same organization, teaming up with Gene "Punchy" Bennet and their teammates, trying to put their team into the win column.

R. O. T. C. will again be trying to put its name in lights. With James Durham in the army, his brother, Robert, along with Jack Green and other hard-fighting men, will be trying as a team to chalk up some wins.

OH! YES!!! The teams to watch. K. E.'s Cossa's Robbers with Bill Sanders' stringy arms and POW Graham might be a surprisingly good team.

### GENERALS

K. A.'s Generals with Buddy Daily, Larry Madden and Tommy Hadley might throw some upsets into the gears.

K. E.'s Blackhawks: Their toothless wonder, Sammy Kilman, is gone, so Tommy Hickcox will have some mighty big shoes to fill. Fresh out of the Tulip Patches, Theo Kleemann will try to learn the difference between a football and Hockey Puck.

### LOST

Gruen wrist watch. Square face, black band, two diamonds on each side. If found, please contact Elizabeth Reeves, Room 203 in Hardin Hall.

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"In a huddle" before beginning actual practice are members of the ROTC entry in intramural competition. Intramurals play a large role in the Centenary sports scene with numerous student organizations supporting a team. Everyone is encouraged to participate in the program and competition.

## 5 Gent Lettermen Return for Season

By BILL SANDERS

A pre-season glance into the 1959-60 basketball season for the Centenary Gents after a brief interview with coach Orvis Sigler revealed that the Gents are in for a rough schedule. Sigler stated that the Gents are now classified by NCAA in the major college (University) division and a good showing this year would mean national recognition for Centenary. He indicated that the potential is better this year, but they will have a long way to go to beat the hustle and spirit of last year's squad. The Gents will have a much tougher schedule playing such teams as Texas A&M, Rice, Tulane, Loyola, Miami, De Pauw, Arkansas, Virginia Tech, Florida State and numerous others.

### LOST PLAYERS

The Gents will miss the scoring punch of 6'2" Gerald "Big Tool" Martello, who led in scoring last year with 17 points per game, along with the play making of Robert Scott and Leon Shaw. Taken via graduation were Bob Schulman, Cecil Rhodes and Tom Hubble, all of whom gave the Gents valuable reserve strength.

### STARTING BIDS

Back for a bid at starting berths will be a pair of valuable guards in Larry Green and Billy "Weasel" Eubanks. Starting center, husky 6'8" Jackie Crawford will be back, but may find competition at the pivot from much-improved Ralph Mason or lanky Wayne Dubose.

In the running, too, for starting berths are three capable members up from the freshman squad: 6'3" Ford King and a pair of 6'5" boys,

Dale Van Bibber and Mike Ramming.

Four untried stalwart contenders are John Vasilopolous, Arnie McHone, Jim Mitchell and Glenn Cothern.

### Miss Centenary Visits Festivals

Ramona Nail, Miss Centenary for 1958-59, as Queen Holiday in Dixie, appeared in New Iberia for the annual Sugar Cane Festival last weekend, Sept. 23-25. Several more appearances are slated for her during the coming week. She will be in Winnfield for the Louisiana Forest Festival, in Lafayette on Oct. 8 for the Louisiana Oil Exposition and in Dallas, Texas, for East Texas Day, Oct. 20.

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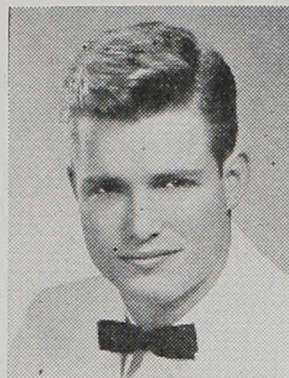
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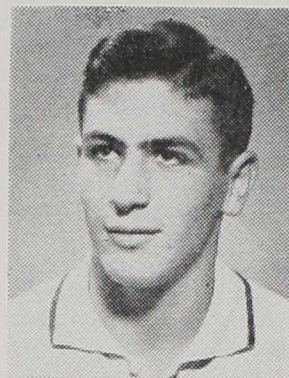
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## Students Elect Class Officers

Newly elected class presidents for the 1959-1960 school year are: Fred Willis, Senior class; Jim Daigle, Junior class; Paul McMahan, Sophomore class, and Sonny Elder, Freshman class. These new members met with the Student Senate for the first time Wednesday night.

Serving with Willis in the senior officer positions are: Abbie Terry, vice-president; Paula Martin, secretary, and Fuller Bazer, treasurer. Willis was elected by acclamation to his position. Other nominees from the senior class were: Ann DeShazo, Cornelia Agurs, Bob Durham, and Margorie Brothers.

Heading the junior class with Jim Daigle will be: Anne McLaurin, vice-president; Jane Ilgenfritz, secretary, and Pete Boggs, treasurer. Jim Daigle and Ralph Mason tied on the first ballot for the presidential position. Nominees defeated on the first ballot were: Linda Rosett, Carole Ann Solomon, and Gene LaCaze.

Paul McMahan, president; Sally Clingman, vice-president; Ginny Emerson, secretary, Jerry Jouett, treasurer, will serve the sophomore class this year. Fred Schwendimann was also nominated for class president. Defeated in the run-off ballot were: Gail Stimpert, Janet McClellan, and Lawrence Waschka. Additional nominees on the first ballot were Jean Stephens, Fran Littrell and Rod Radzikowski.

Sonny Elder, along with Jackie Rosett, vice-president; Cathie Franklin, secretary, and Al Pius, treasurer, were elected by the freshman class. Keith Lloyd, "Butchie" McQuisition, Linda Kay Ellington, and Ryan Horton were in the run-off election Wednesday. Additional freshman nominees on the first ballot were: Holland Collins, Dessa Crawford, Betsy Gould, LaVerne Burks, Fane Bussie, Mitzy Kleinhans, Amy Matthews, Patsy West, Ricky Biggs, Barry Hope, Sandy Lawn and Bobby Ross.

Nominations for class officers

were made in class meetings last Friday. First ballots were cast Monday. Run-off votes were made on Wednesday.

The four class presidents will serve on the Student Senate and preside at monthly class meetings. According to the Student Senate, emphasis will be placed on greater class participation and interest stimulated by the class officers.

## Banquets Climax Fraternity Rush

Boy's rush continues tonight with the Kappa Alpha banquet and the Kappa Sigma banquet Saturday night. Silence will begin at 12:00 midnight Saturday, Oct. 10, immediately following the Kappa Sigma banquet. This silent period will be in effect until 1:00 p.m. Monday, October 12. Bid lists must be in the dean's office by 12:00 Monday, and the bids will be issued after 1:00 p.m.

Rush began Wednesday, Sept. 30 with the Intrafraternity Council's annual smoker in the Moore Student Center. Friday and Saturday nights the rushees were entertained by the local chapters with informal parties. The banquets planned for this weekend are to be more formal affairs with only the fraternity members, rushees, sweethearts and housemothers attending. Attendance at these banquets will be by invitation only.

Boys going through rush are as follows: Tom Arnoldi, Furman Barnes, Rick Biggs, Bill Bolen, John Broadus, Lloyd Buckner, Phillip Butcher, Danny Calhoun, Holland Collins, Spiro Cosse, Don Couvillion, Ron Cummings, John Earnest, Sonny Elder, Johnny Evans, Don Farley, Stephen Gandolfi, Bob Gaynor, Dave Glass, Jim Goslin, Rives Grogan, Henry Harvey, Buddy Hawkins, Richard Haynes, Barry Hope, Ryan Horton, Norman House, Jack Jeter, Gene Koury, Howard Lawrence, Keith Lloyd, Lon McAnally, Charles McCartney, Bill Manhein, John Moreneau, Gaddis Oliver, William Patti-

son, Al Pius, Tally Pledger, Shelton Powers, Daniel Rester, Odie Reynolds, Bobby Ross, Ralph Storey, Bob Swor, Bill Trusty, John Henry Wenk, Steve Victory, and Chance Wayne.

## Tyler, Nelson Plan Special Devotionals

A special Quest program held in the large chapel Thursday, October 1, drew about 125 students.

Don Tyler led a choir of seven in his own arrangement of "Into My Heart," and "Spirit of the Living God." On the organ was Beal Thomas, accompanying William Peeples, Paul McMahan, Butchie McCuistion, Terrell Rourke, Butch Franklin, and Jackie Rosett.

Marie Nelson gave the devotional for the Quest, which was planned by her and Tyler. The two hope to encourage and plan other such special programs for the fifteen-minute devotional held each weekday evening in the small chapel at 6:15 and sponsored by Kappa Chi ministerial fraternity.

## 3 Major Changes To Affect Students

Three major changes in school policy this year will affect Centenary students, according to Dean Allen.

The "coffee break," which originated in the Student Affairs Committee is a one-year experiment. So far the faculty is very pleased with the experiment and feels that it has not only put the Student Center to better use but has helped bring all the students together.

This year the faculty is urging that all social functions be held on campus. They feel that school facilities are now adequate to take care of most functions. Along with the Student Center, the gym will also be available all year now that basketball games are being played at the Hirsch Stadium. "The faculty," states Dean Allen, "will be reluctant to give blanket permission, though requests for a change of policy will be given serious consideration."

Students are encouraged by the faculty to dress in good taste at all times, especially on Sunday for the noon meal. School policy suggests that students dress for this meal as they would dress for church (girls in dresses and boys in slacks or suits).

## Emerich To Serve In Science Program

Dr. Donald W. Emerich, associate professor of chemistry, has been requested by the National Science Foundation to serve as a panelist at a meeting which will evaluate proposals made for projects to be used in the Summer Science Training Program for Secondary School Students.

The panel, composed of scientists, teachers, representatives of professional organizations and members of the Foundation staff, will review proposals submitted by colleges, universities, and non-profit research organizations. These proposals will be directed toward secondary students who show a high science aptitude and interest in the field. Proposals which meet with the approval of the panel will receive the backing of the National Science Foundation which will pay up to fifty percent of the costs per student.

Dr. Emerich will meet with the panel in Washington D. C. on Nov. 5 and 6.

## Music School Inundates

This year the Centenary school of music has the largest enrollment in its history, which has necessitated expansion into several other buildings on campus. Dean Vogel has authorized use of the Religious Center Building and East Colonial Hall by the music school.

Monas Harlan, our new associate professor of voice, is using a room in the Religious Center for his studio. Several rooms in East Colonial Hall, formerly used as an overflow dormitory, are being converted into practice rooms for music students.

Mr. Running, chairman of the school of music, said more than sixty music majors enrolled during the registration period this month. A waiting list has been compiled for some classes, he said, and private students not enrolled in the college will not be accommodated by the school of music faculty un-

til after all regularly enrolled students have been assigned.

The morning rehearsals of the Shreveport Symphony Orchestra have been moved from the Music Building to the workshop at the Marjorie Lyons Playhouse because of the need for additional classroom space.

Meanwhile, students using our facilities for practice have been requested to adhere to strict practice schedules so that the needs of all students may be met. Running said any disruption of the practice schedules will result in confusion and may mean that some students will be deprived of practice time entirely on a given day.

## Fund Campaign Obtains Support

The goal of the 1959 Development Fund Campaign, established to provide the many needs of Centenary, is \$1,700,000.

Principally designed to obtain financial support from different sources, the development fund receives aid from the Louisiana Conference of Methodist Churches, community of Shreveport, alumni and 50% of student tuition.

### WEEKLY CALENDAR

**Friday, Oct. 9** — Kappa Alpha rush banquet.

**Saturday, Oct. 10** — Kappa Sigma rush banquet.

— Silence begins for rushees at 12 o'clock midnight.

**Sunday, Oct. 11** — Coffee will be served in the Moore Student Center from 2 until 5 in the afternoon.

**Monday, Oct. 12** — Fraternity bids will be issued at 1:00 p.m. Pledging will be later in the evening.

**Tuesday, Oct. 13** — Band concert in the Open Air Theatre at 8 p.m.

## Brooks Honors Entrikin

Dr. John B. Entrikin, head of the chemistry department, has recently been appointed professional consultant to the House Committee on Science and Astronautics.

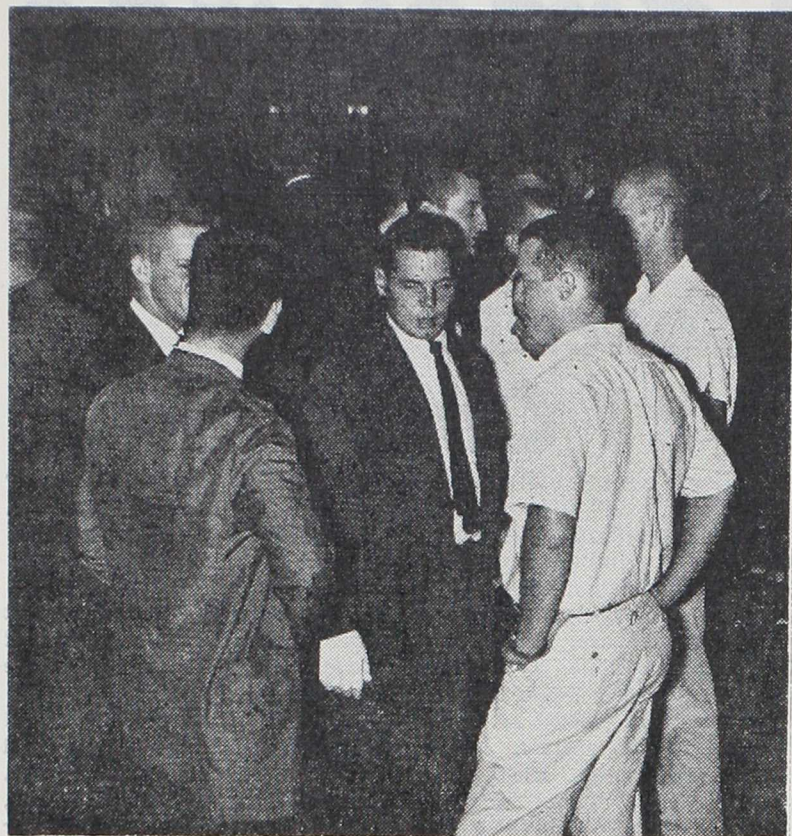
Dr. Entrikin was requested to serve in this capacity by U. S. Representative Overton Brooks of Shreveport, chairman of the committee. The committee is primarily concerned with the non-military aspects of the problems of the space age.

In order to learn more of the duties pertaining to his work with the committee, Dr. Entrikin plans to make a trip to Washington, D. C. in the very near future to confer with Charles F. Ducander, executive director and chief counsel. Dr. Entrikin's connection with the committee will not change his relationship with the college. He

plans to continue in his position at Centenary.

This appointment to the House Committee is only the latest of many ways in which Dr. Entrikin has served the field of science. Besides the many years spent in dedication of his services as a professor and advisor at Centenary, Dr. Entrikin has acted as a special consultant to a large number of industries, legal firms, and individuals on specific problems during the past thirty years. He has served as chairman of the Chemurgic Committee of the Shreveport Chamber of Commerce and was one of the organizers and still is a director of the Shreveport Society for Nature Study.





The Smoker, Sept. 30, marked the beginning of formal fraternity rush for this season. Invitational banquets will be held tonight and tomorrow night, and bids will be issued Monday at 1:00.

## Majority Rules!

By KATHY MACK

The cry of the individual today has lost itself in the cry of the mob: "the rule of the majority!" Through this medium people try to judge everything. "What is good for the majority is good enough for me!" is the approving cliché. Thus we judge other individuals, religion, politics, our government, and all our many organizations. This, too, is our rule of censorship.

We love to hear candidates for elections cry for Segregation, Private Enterprise, Economy, Better Morals, and Peace (or War, if the situation demands it of them). To bring it down to our own little sphere, we praise candidates who call for Better Elections, Better School Spirit, and More School Functions! Oh, the glory of being a member of the herd which approves or disapproves of subjects that we seldom think about as individuals. "No, sir, what is good for the United States (or Centenary) is good enough for me!"

Our censorship of all aliens, not to mention the Negro, is not based on the individual and his intrinsic qualities. Rather, we judge by our prejudices and the prejudices of those around us. We Americans proclaim equality and then cry for legislation protecting us from radicals and rebels. We Southerners proclaim our kindness to the Negro and the advantages we have given them: "separate but equal!"

Religious sects take a stand on a controversial issue. In their respective churches youth and adults alike make plans for the teaching session on "What We Believe," for, as they put it, "few of our people really understand just what they believe. They must be told!"

Since we decry the hazards of too many people trying to censor, here are some proposals for setting up a national censorship board:

1. Alexander Hamilton's suggestion of rule by the class aristocracy, that is, white class aristocracy. (This is by far the simplest plan, for a board could easily be chosen from a group of third generation whites.)

2. Complete submission of every individual to that old stand-by, the rule of the majority. (The advantage of this plan is that the individual simply follows the decision of the crowd and does not have to worry about thinking for himself. It leaves him free to think of other various and sundry things. Neither does it muddle his mind so that he gets confused about what he thinks and what others say.)

3. Thomas Jefferson's idea of a select class of those who have superior intelligence. (The members of the board could be chosen by results of standard examinations. Since any intelligent individual would be eligible to compete, this would have to be limited to whites by national legislation.)

4. Finally, if all else fails, the decision could be left to the individual. (Though the widespread difference would still prevail, the individual would only have to worry about himself and not about anyone else. This is anarchism, of course, and it is only a last resort.)

P.S. Thanks to all those interested persons who expressed their opinion of last week's article. These fell into three groups: (1) "I liked your article but didn't read it through." (2) "I didn't understand." (3) "Oh, is the CONGLOMERATE out?"

### EDITOR'S NOTE

The above article is second in a series designed to stimulate responses from students, faculty and administration members. No answers were received in reply to last week's questions on censorship.

Centenary, as an institute of higher education, should certainly have few students who will think a problem through and be challenged by controversial questions put to them. The *Conglomerate* is the voice of you, the students, faculty and administration of Centenary, and will welcome—no, requests—that your opinions be presented for publication.

—P. S.

## Lyceum Series Includes Varied Choirs, Players

The Lyceum Series will begin with a concert by the Air Force Band and the famed Singing Sergeants under the direction of Col. George Howard. Joseph M. Running, director of the school of music and chairman of the Lyceum committee, said the band and vocalists will appear at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 28, in the Haynes Memorial Gymnasium.

### SPANISH CHOIR

The Pamplona Choir, a 16-voice singing aggregation from Pamplona, Spain, will present a concert at 9:45 a.m. on Friday, Oct. 30, under the direction of its founder, Luis Meronde.

The third event of the series will be a concert by the Concordia College Choir of Moorhead, Minn., at 9:45 a.m. Monday, Feb. 8. The director of the internationally known singing troupe is Paul Christiansen.

### CANADIAN PLAYERS

Running said the Canadian Players, a widely acclaimed dramatic group, has been engaged tentatively for Feb. 15 for both matinee and evening performances. A Shakespearean play, probably "Romeo and Juliet" or "The Taming of the Shrew," and Anton Chekhov's, "The Cherry Orchard," probably will be the presentations of this group. Plans are now under way to engage one of the city's larger auditoriums for the productions and to hold a general ticket sale in order to afford as many residents as possible an opportunity to witness the productions.

The final event probably will be a recital by a string quartet. Further details will be announced when arrangements have been completed.

## Choir Makes Trip To Garden Lodge

The Centenary Choir will leave the campus tonight to spend a musical weekend in the Dedication Lodge, built for them in Hodges Gardens. By arriving tonight, the group will be able to spend all day Saturday in rehearsal, preparing music for fall presentations, including the annual "Rhapsody in View," scheduled Nov. 3 and 4.

The highlight of their weekend will be the Choir's participation in a program of the annual Natchitoches pilgrimage. They will appear with the Shreveport Symphony under the direction of John Shenaut, in the recently-completed concert shell which faces the rose terrace. Combined, the two groups will present the "Waltz," from Gounod's "Faust," "The Scene and Prayer," from Mascagni's "Cavalleria Rusticana"; and "You'll Never Walk Alone," from Rodgers and Hammerstein's "Carousel."

This program, beginning at 6 p.m. on Sunday, marks the Choir's first participation in the Natchitoches pilgrimage event. Prior to this they have often been featured in concerts at the Garden, including the annual Easter Sunrise services. They will leave the sylvan showplace following Sunday night's performance and return to the campus.

## LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



## Student Senate Report

The meeting was called to order by the President, Dub Fletcher, after a moment of silence. Those present were: Dub Fletcher, Barbaran Hyde, Mary Lou Low, Buddy Daily, Harold Price, Ken Hayes, and Connie Gathright.

Two new members of the Senate were introduced and welcomed. They were Bud Willis, Interfraternity Council representative; and Dean Allen, faculty advisor.

Buddy Daily was appointed parliamentarian for the Senate by the President.

The motion was made by Dub Fletcher that the date for nomination and election of class officers be reset. It was seconded by Buddy Daily and passed by the Senate. The dates decided upon were as follows: nominations, Friday, Oct. 2; election, Monday, Oct. 5; and Wednesday, Oct. 7, run-offs.

It was decided that a double list of people voting be introduced in the coming election. The person voting is to sign his signature while the person in charge of his particular class checks his name off the voting list. This motion was made by Barbaran Hyde and seconded by Ken Hayes.

The Student Senate rules were read and discussed.

A telegram from the Northwestern Student Senate inquiring about Centenary's cheerleaders was read. The telegram was relayed to Mary Beth Bomar, head cheerleader.

The meeting was closed in regular order.

Respectfully submitted,

Connie Gathright, Secretary  
Dub Fletcher, President



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"By the sleepy silver bayou" stand this week's patriotic personalities. Feeding the ducks are Rick Biggs, freshman; Joan Hilburn, junior; Willie "Pop" Andress, senior; and Susan Netherly, sophomore.

## Banjos, Bongos, Pianos Marks of Personalities

By DOLLIE MILLER

"I finally saw a swamp! It was near Cross Lake and had moss all around!" exclaimed sophomore personality, Susan Netherly. As is evident, Susan is not a native of Louisiana but resides in California. She attended La Sierra college there and transferred to Centenary this fall. During the school year of 1957-1958 Susan went with her family to Europe where she enrolled in La Chatelaine, a girl's finishing school, in Saint Blaise-Neuchatel. She recalls this year as one of the most memorable of her life and will willingly show anyone with an attentive ear her scrapbook of this occasion. While in Europe she visited fifteen countries.

Snow skiing (she boasts of going on the 4th of July), drawing, playing bongo drums, poetry by T. S. Elliot, visiting coffee houses in Los Angeles, and progressive jazz rate high on this sophomore's list of favorites. At the other end, among her pet dislikes, are people who monopolize a conversation talking about themselves.

### POOL PRO

Rick Biggs, freshman, has already established himself on the Centenary campus as writer of the sports column for the Conglomerate, a member of the BSU, and self-appointed pool champion of the student center where, he asserts, he will challenge anyone. But Rick likes the student center for reasons other than that it boasts a pool table. "The break," he says, "is definitely a good thing. It provides an opportunity for the students to get together in fun and fellowship."

A pre-law student, Rick aspires to continue his education at Centenary and further it at Tulane university after which he will become "the best lawyer in the state."

Water sports demand most of his idle time. Rick has obtained his WSI and spent the summer life-guarding. He also participates in such land activities as playing the banjo but expresses some concern

because of his lack of skill at bridge and earnestly desires a blue-eyed brunette freshman girl as a tutor in this campus activity.

### TEACHES PIANO

Joan Hilburn, junior piano major, is a transfer from Louisiana State university. There she was active as a freshman advisor, assistant pledge trainer of her sorority and sang in the University Chorus. Reflecting on Centenary she states, "I enjoy being Joan or Miss Hilburn so much more than being seat number 172 in the back of the room. I get more out of my classes because they are on a personal basis."

Joan recalls an Easter long ago when she received two dyed chickens in her nest. One she soon killed with kindness, and the other soon afterwards mysteriously disappeared. The next day the family had fried chicken for dinner. Joan rewarded her parents for their evil deed when she raised her blue eyes and tearfully asked, "Oh, mommy, I wonder what happened to my little chicken?"

### POP

A stature like Abraham Lincoln and a strong tenor voice are the distinguishing traits of senior Willie Andress. Willie, who came to Centenary from Arkansas, sings in the Centenary choir, where he was fortunate to accompany the group to the Far East in 1957 and where he serves on the Board of Directors. He is music director of the Southside Baptist church, and is a two-year charter member of Phi

Mu Alpha Simfonia, honorary men's music fraternity. He is married and has a boy aged two years.

This active senior is a music-education major and intends to go to graduate school at the Baptist seminary in Ft. Worth, Texas, and then on to the University of Southern California.

When questioned about his attitudes towards his fellow students he replied: "I look for a person that really likes people. It's more pleasant to be around someone that enjoys being with people rather than sitting in a corner thinking — not that I'm against thinking. In class I very much dislike people that ask questions above the level of class discussion, attempting to show their seemingly higher intelligence."

### Dr. Teagarden Reviews Book

Dr. Jack Teagarden reviewed "Elizabeth the Great," the book by Elizabeth Jenkins, Thursday, Oct. 8 before members of the Woman's Department Club of Ruston. The meeting took place in the Tech Room of the Trinity Methodist Church where Dr. Teagarden was introduced by Mrs. R. D. Glover.

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## ON CAMPUS

By GINNY EMERSON

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Seems that the Piccadilly is still the favorite of many Centenaryites. Enjoying pizza Saturday night were Joy Camerer, Fuller Bazer, Jane Ilgenfritz, and Warren West.

Former students in town last weekend were Judy Cook, Joe Doby, and Tommy Sibley.

Congratulations to Jerry Joiner, Grace Jackson, Cathie Franklin, and Jane Ilgenfritz, newly elected officers of the Canterbury Club.

Marie Nelson, Dean Thompson, Jeanette Crocker, and Larry Elliott were enthralled by the witty speech given by Dr. Pate at MSM.

Dripping wet, but cheering the Tigers on to another great victory were Marie Armintor, Barbara Ann Hyde, Patsi West, and Mary Ellen Gaughan.

Enjoying the true southern hospitality of the KA rush party Saturday night were Lyndra Pate, Becky Graham, Gail DeLanney, Bob Moore, Ralph Mason, and Jimmy Hughes.

Patsy Stamps, Margaret and Elizabeth Reeves, Mary Beth Bomar, Catherine Chesney and Jackie Ott entertained at the Kappa Sigma rush party last Friday night. A main entertainment for the Kappa Sig rushees was the Class Cutters. Seen on the dance floor were Diane Caldwell, Nancy Dixon, Tim Daniels, Spiro Cosse, Sara Tiner, and Tanne McDade. The Kappa Sigmas invited the girls rushing for them to a lovely tea Friday afternoon. Helping with plans for Rush Week

were Barbara Bourdier, Linda Rossett, Judy Meredith, and Dollie Miller.

Informed sources tell us that Dannie Calhoun was pursued by a bucket of water in the dorm. Is it always that way, Dannie? These same informers tell us that Furman Barnes had an expected visitor this past weekend. Have a good time, Furman?

A belated congratulations to Judy Hughes on being engaged. We hear that you had a visit from Oklahoma recently!!

Genie Gibson, David Graham, Sandra Poss, George LeRay, Jeri Cassady were a few who attended the Kappa Sigma party after the L. S. U. — Baylor game Saturday night.

We promise not to break the deal, Bill and Dave! How's this?

## Alumnae Supper Honors Chi O's

Chi Omega alumnae held a supper for the Iota Gamma chapter actives and pledges Wednesday, Oct. 7, in the home of Mrs. Peyton Kelley.

At this informal party, held annually, so that Chi Omega alumnae may meet the new pledges, the rush skit, "My Fair Chi O," was presented for the past Chi Omegas. Those in the skit were Jill Landis, Judy Hughes, Catherine Chesney, Jeannie Kelso, Kay Cooper, Jane Ilgenfritz, Carol Richelt.

A barbecue supper meeting was held September 28. A skit given by Ann McLaurin, Margaret Powell, Jill Landis, Betty Schmitt, Frankie Stokes and Ginny Emerson, showed the effects of four years of college and Chi Omega on a girl. After this skit, Big Sisters were announced.

## Alpha Xi Delta's Entertain Pledges

Monday evening, Sept. 28, was the occasion of a supper at the Alpha Xi Delta house in honor of the new pledge class. A spaghetti supper was prepared by the Mother's Club, which included Mrs. Joe Austin, Mrs. L. H. Monroe, and Mrs. Muxworthy. Mothers of the new pledges attending the supper were Mrs. James Bains and Mrs. W. B. Simmons. Also present were alumna Miss Betty Jo Austin, and Province vice-president Mrs. M. Miles Snider.

New pledges attending the supper were: Louella Bains, La Verne Burks, Beverly Crawford, Linda Erickson, Gail Granger, Janet Havelka, Martha Ann Simmons, Ann Smith, Merrill Ann Snider, and Rosalind Verduzco. Active members present were: Cornelia Agurs, Kay France, Judy Herbert, Donna Howell, Pherieb Monroe, Nora Bess Stafford, and Sandra Whitlock.

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## Football Rulings, Teams' Rosters Set for Season

Last week the second meeting of the Men's Intramural Council was held under the direction of the Men's Intramural Council President, Roger Williams. Basic regulations for Intramural football were discussed and the following time limits were set.

The games shall consist of two twenty minute halves. The clock will continue throughout the game so that time out will not lengthen the time of the game. Two time-outs are allowed each team during each half, but no time-outs may be taken after the last four minutes of the second quarter have begun. The following teams have been formed with the boys listed on the individual team rosters.

### M. S. M.

Brad Mayo, Eugene Bennett, Carol Mayhew, Dub Fletcher, Tally Pledger, Keith Loyd, Barry Bolack, Denis Gibson, Edmund Fatter, Paul McMahan.

### KAPPA ALPHA

John Hoffman, Vernon Kambach, Bill Johnson, Ralph Mason, "Hoot" Evers, Ken Hays, Tommy Brewerton, Albert Evers.

### B. S. U.

Neal Reynolds, Charlie Campbell, Glen Mathew, Harry Lerer, Leopoldo Perez, James Wadsworth, Joe Ben Tageme, David Simmons, Bill Nelson, George Dexbes, Lyle Timmons.

### KAPPA SIGMA

Warren West, Fuller Bazer, Spankey McCoy, Wayne Stoddard, Fred Willis, Roger Williams.

### COSSA ROBBERS

Bill Sanders, Jim Daigle, David Graham, Jay Lang, Don Tyler, Fred Schwendiman, Rod Yeager, Dave White, Hoyt Bain.

### GOLDEN PHEASANTS

Gerald Martello, Bobby Gouthiere, Charlie Gouthiere, Bob Barker, Andy Teal, Winston Miller, Harry Boyd, Merlin Lee, Nick Eicher, Billy Eubanks, Arnie McHone, Cal Kirby, Don Ensley.

### BLACK HAWKS

Jimmy Schamerhorn, James Goins, Joe Ben Hays, Tommy Hickcox, Theo Kleman, Gene Lacaze, Terrell Rourke, Tim Temple, Butch Franklin.

### ALPHA SIGMA CHI

Jim Crosslin, Carl Mayhem, Fred Anderson, Jimmy Potter, Jordan Robinson, Jimmy Clancy, Conrad Wooley, Ed Monk, Henry Nickleson, Melvin Furd.

Coach Johnson, the director of Men's Intramurals announced that at any time during the season a boy may sign up with a team, so if you have not yet found your team man, get in the groove and move.

## Meadows Gives Steinway Piano

Miss Eunice Meadows of Ruston has given a Steinway grand piano to the school of music. The piano will probably be used in the Music Building as a recital instrument.

Miss Meadows and her sister, Miss Atlanta Meadows, established the Mary Frances Meadows ministerial scholarship in memory of their late sister several years ago with an initial gift of \$5,000.



## SPORTS SPOTLIGHT

By RICK BIGGS

It is a popular misconception among citizens of this community that Centenary is a one sport institution. As a matter of fact, it is not common knowledge among many of our students that there are many sports and activities in which the Centenary student can enter and win for himself a letter as well as a satisfaction of being a member of a winning team. In the next few weeks this column will seek to explain many of the lesser known teams and activities that are afforded to every Centenary student. This week the Sports Spotlight centers on the ROTC Rifle Team.

The ROTC Rifle Team this year has the opportunity to carry the name of Centenary to a large portion of the Southwest. There are eight scheduled out of town matches, the most prominent of which is the Southwest Invitational tournament at El Paso, Texas March 3, 4 and 5. The Rifle Team is sponsored and coached by ROTC instructor Sgt. Miller who predicts a bright year for the team. He states that even though there is only one boy who is returning from last year's team, many of the new boys have set notable records with other teams in the past. "One boy to notice this year," states Miller, "is Tommy Harwell, who was the City League high scorer last year with the C. E. Byrd ROTC team. Harwell had a year long average of 186.14 with a high score in the City League tournament of 196." The one boy to return from last year's team is David Simmons.

To participate on the Rifle Team each boy must practice a minimum of two hours each week. Practice takes place in the small bore fifty foot range in the ROTC area. This year twenty-one boys have signed up for the Rifle Team. This is an unusually large number to be interested in this relatively unknown sport. The boys participating on this year's team are David Simmons, Hoyt Duggan, Harold Bounds, Roy Chambers, Thomas Harwell, John (Raye) Sage, John Earnest, Gerald LaBruyere, Thomas Goodnight, James Raleigh, Rusty Wade, Esmond Fatter, Dennis Grigassy, Bill Trusty, Henry Collins, Charles Squyres, Rick Biggs, Adolphus Gray, William Nelson and Herbert Whitaker.

A few of the other matches that the team will be participating in will be the Baylor Freshman invitational at Waco, the L. S. U. Invitational, the Tulane-Loyola Tournament during Mardi Gras in New Orleans, and the Shreveport City League Matches which will be held from Oct. 28 to March with one match weekly. This year is the first year that the Team will be a member of the National Rifle Association which will qualify them for national competition.

This has been the first of a series of articles to be published by the Conglomerate in an attempt to bring to the student body a full knowledge of the many activities in which they may participate and support. For further information, suggestions or questions you are invited to contact the Sports Editor, Rick Biggs, or the Conglomerate office.

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## Pershing Rifles Attend Festivals

Cadet Captain Winston Miller, Commander of the local Pershing Rifles unit, has released a list of the tentative parades and exhibitions that the company will participate in this year.

The first appearance the unit will make is at the Tyler Rose Festival on 17 October in Tyler, Texas. This festival is well known nationally and is usually attended by more than 20,000 people. In addition to the Tyler Festival the unit has tentatively scheduled the following parades: Louisiana State Fair Parade and the Shreveport Balloon Parade which are both in Shreveport, the Natchitoches Christmas Parade, the Marshall, Texas, Christmas Parade, three Mardi Gras parades in New Orleans, the Sixth Regimental Drill Meet of the Pershing Rifles in Pensacola, Fla., the Holiday in Dixie Parade in Shreveport, and various honor guards. These parades are more than the unit has participated in in the two years of its existence as a Pershing Rifle Company.

This year Company O-6 is headed by Cadet Captain Winston Miller of Marshall, Texas. His staff includes Robert S. Durham, Ralph H. Akin, S. Thompson Hickcox all of Shreveport, John W. Green III of Lottie, Gene H. LaCaze of Leesville, and Barry F. Bolack of Eunice. Ward B. Jones of Shreveport is First Sergeant.

## Ott Announces Fall Volleyball Line-Up

Jackie Ott, manager of the WRA Volleyball League, is this week announcing the fall schedule. All games will begin at 5:45 p.m. on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons.

The schedule is as follows:

### TUESDAY, 5:45 P.M.

10/6 Chi Omega vs Alpha Xi  
10/12 Iota Gamma vs Zeta Grey  
10/12 Chi Omega vs Zeta grey  
Alpha Xi vs Zeta blue  
10/20 Chi Omega vs Zeta blue  
MSM vs Zeta grey  
10/27 Chi Omega vs MSM  
Independents vs Zeta blue  
11/3 Chi Omega vs Independents  
Owlets vs MSM  
11/10 Chi Omega vs Owlets  
Iota Gamma vs Independents  
11/17 Chi Omega vs Iota Gamma  
Alpha Xi vs Owlets

### WEDNESDAY, 5:45 P.M.

10/7 Owlets vs Zeta Blue  
Independents vs MSM  
10/13 Iota Gamma vs MSM  
Owlets vs Independents  
10/21 Alpha Xi vs Independents  
Iota Gamma vs Owlets  
10/28 Owlets vs Zeta grey  
Alpha Xi vs Iota Gamma  
Iota Gamma vs Zeta blue  
11/4 Alpha Xi vs Zeta grey  
Alpha Xi vs MSM  
11/11 Zeta blue vs Zeta grey  
11/18 Zeta grey vs Independents  
Zeta blue vs MSM

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## 35 Rushees Pledge Fraternities Oct. 12

Fraternity rush ended with the issuing of thirty-five bids at 1:00 p.m. Monday, October 12. The rushees went through a period of silence following the banquets on Friday and Saturday nights. The Kappa Alpha fraternity held its banquet Friday night at the Shreveport Country Club. Saturday night the Kappa Sigmas had their banquet at the Petroleum Club.

Pledging ceremonies took place at the respective fraternity houses Monday night at 6 p.m. Following their pledging service the Kappa Sigmas serenaded the three sororities.

New Kappa Alpha pledges are: Lloyd Buchner, Philip Butcher, Ronald Cummings, Stephan Gandolfi, Robert Gaynor, Jimmy Goslin, Richard Haynes, Norman House, Jack Jeter, Howard Lawrence, Bill Manhein, John Swor and William Trusty.

Kappa Sigma fraternity pledged: Furman Barnes, Rick Biggs, Bill Bolen, Danny Calhoun, Spire Cosse, Don Couvillion, John Earnest, Howard Elder, Donald Farley, Davey

Glass, Rives Grogan, Henry Harvey, John Hawkins, Gene Koury, Lon McAnally, Charles McCartney, William Patison, Al Pius, Edward Pledger, Shelton Powers, Bobby Ross and Steve Victory.

Open rush begins in two weeks. Any boy interested in joining a fraternity at this time should contact Fred Willis, Kappa Sigma, or Ralph Mason, Kappa Alpha.

## Pep Squad Selects Marching Division

Thirty-five girls were chosen from the Pep Squad after try-outs held Thursday, Oct. 8, to constitute Centenary's first marching group.

Noni Miller, Ann Moreneaux and Winston Miller will serve as drill instructors. The marching group will make their first appearance at the Louisiana State Fair Parade.

The following girls are members of the marching group: Louella Bains, Mary Bostick, Colleen Cathey, Lorine Crenshaw, Kay France, Cathie Franklin, Judy French, Lucille Gasecki, Ann Gibbes, Genie Gibson, Becky Graham, Gay Griffith, Judy Herbert, Sally Herring, Grace Jackson, Maury Johnston, Karen Kirby, Patricia Lavigne, Fran Lorant, Carol Mangham, Lydia McGlathery, Amy Matthews, Glory Mounce, Indie Nichols, Sandra Poss, Gerry Rawlinson, Diane Simmons, Melba Smith, Patsy West, and Gail Yarbrough.

## Methodists Begin Worship Series

"Why Worship?" was the title of the program sponsored by the Methodist Student Movement yesterday, Oct. 15. This program was the first in a series of three worship programs. Other topics, to be discussed in the following weeks are "What Worship?" and "How Worship?"

Everyone is invited to attend the MSM meetings, which are held each Thursday evening from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m., in the MSM room in the Religious Activities Building.

This year's officers are: Richard Herrmann, president; Genevieve Compton, vice-president; Beverly Wingo, secretary; Deen Thompson, treasurer; Jean Stephens and Fred Schwendimann, program; Jeanette Crocker, Good News editor; Paul McMahan, host; Sallie Clingman, hostess; Kay France, historian; Sarah Burroughs, reporter; Mary Lou Low, projects; Carol Reichelt, publicity; Sara Hitchcock and Roger Williams, witness chairmen; Jeane Sealy, world community; Dick Johns and Marie Nelson, fellowship; Fran Littrell and Brad Mayo, athletics; and Dub Fletcher, drama.



Linda Rosett, bulletin board chairman, is posting another campus announcement on the board, located just behind the Moore Student Center. The board will be used as a central source of campus-wide notices.

## Rosett in Charge Of Bulletin Board

The new bulletin board in front of the Moore Student Center has been erected with the aid of "Cheesy" Voran and the Moore Student Center. The purpose of this board is to hold the school calendar and other important announcements which are of interest to the student body.

The need for a central board to post major campus activities was suggested last year in a campaign speech for student body offices.

Linda Rosett is in charge of the bulletin board, but to avoid conflicts, students or organizations wishing to post a notice on the board must clear through Mrs. Nickolas' office in the Moore Student Center.

There has long been a need for such a bulletin board and all students are urged to utilize it.

### COMING EVENTS

**October 27**—Kangaroo Court will be conducted during the free period. All freshmen are required to attend.

**October 30**—Freshman-Sophomore Tug-of-War during the 10:40 break in classes. Dance that night. Pampanola Choir will be featured in Second Lyceum appearance.

**November 3**—Cheerleader try-outs.

**November 4**—Cheerleader elections.

**November 6**—Election runoffs.

## Choir Prepares To Give Annual Opening Concert

The annual "Rhapsody in View" concert of the Centenary College Choir will be presented Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, Nov. 3 and 4, at Byrd High School Auditorium. The Shreveport Lions Club, which has sponsored the choir in its traditional opening concert for a number of years, again is serving as the sponsor.

Dr. A. C. Voran, director of the choir, said James Hull Miller will be in charge of the special staging effects. Colorful costuming and staging effects will highlight the concert. A new cyclorama will be used for first time at the concert.

Proceeds from the event will be used to help finance the sight con-

servation program of the Lions Club and to purchase necessary equipment for the choir. Information regarding ticket sales will be released as soon as arrangements have been completed.

### New Staging

The staging will be entirely different from that of other years, although the importance of both visual and musical appeal again will be stressed throughout the program. Incidental solos will be sung by members of the 49-voice aggregation. The light classics, religious selections, folk songs, and popular musical selections that compose the program will have special arrangements. The choir will display its \$10,000 wardrobe, chosen for beauty, practicability on road trips, and fabrics requiring little, or no, ironing.

### First Appearance

The "Rhapsody in View" concert traditionally is the first public appearance of the choir during the fall season and precedes the start of the concert schedule for the opening semester of the school year.

## Mock Election

It has been suggested that Centenary, via the **Conglomerate**, hold a straw poll for the upcoming Louisiana gubernatorial race. In such a poll, mock ballots would be cast by students for the actual candidates running in the state governor race. The purpose for such a poll would be to encourage interest in state elections and gain an insight into the young adult viewpoint of the most qualified candidate. If the mock election is carried out, the **Conglomerate** will remain entirely neutral.

So far this year, there has been no response from either students or faculty and administration members to **Conglomerate** issues. No views have been expressed and, in order for the poll to be successfully undertaken, it **must** have active campus response. Similar polls have been held on campus in the past and have received satisfactory results.

All students and faculty and administration members are asked to voice an opinion on the matter. Check the ballot below and return it to the **Conglomerate** mail (Box 417 in the Student Center), to the **Conglomerate** office (upstairs in the Student Center), or to me personally, by Monday, Oct. 19, at 3:00 p. m.

—P. S.

- ☐ I am interested in holding a straw poll for state governor and will participate in the mock election.
- ☐ I am not interested.

### HONOR COURT

The Honor Court met the week of October 5. Two students were acquitted.

## Warters To Speak In Assistance Meet

Dr. Mary Warters, head of the biology department, will be among the speakers at a special conference Oct. 16 and 17 at the Oak Ridge Institute of Nuclear Studies, Oak Ridge, Tenn. The conference is entitled, "Programs of Assistance to Colleges." Dr. Warters will speak at the morning session today, Oct. 16, on the topic, "How They Affect the Undergraduate Institution," going along with the theme of the meeting, "Programs of Assistance Especially Designed for Undergraduate Institutions."

The conference is sponsored by the Institute with the cooperation of the Oak Ridge National Laboratory, operating under contract with the U. S. Atomic Energy Commission. The conference will feature discussions by leading educators and scientists.

The Centenary professor was among those who participated in last year's conference at Oak Ridge. This was attended by representatives from 25 colleges and universities. Invitations to attend this year's event have been extended to representatives from 50 institutions.



Because of the interest shown in the CONGLOMERATE'S personality story on Chance Wayne, we asked Chance to write something about what it's like in the Ivy League. We were so pleased with what Chance came up with that we asked him to rewrite it with a change in format as a column, which Chance calls . . .

## IN AND OUT

With Chance Wayne

There are only two kinds of things, IN and OUT. There are only two kinds of people, IN and OUT. There are three reasons why a thing is IN: (A.) It is so great and classic, e.g., Free Enterprise. (B.) It is so quaint and obscure, e.g., the Piccadilly three years ago. (C.) It is so far OUT even the OUT people won't touch it, e.g., reading the Conglomerate.

Horseback riding is IN—if you're not too clubby about it. Ouija boards are IN, temporarily. If the truth were known Science Seminar and Great Issues have never been IN. Telling everyone how you found your way from Naive Faith through Doubt and Inner Uncertainty to a Mature Outlook For Our Times is, needless to say, OUT. Getting away from it all is OUT. Being a nut in general is IN. Playing KEEL while you drive along the highways is IN—as long as you aren't listening. If you hate to see cold weather come because it makes the graphite in your slide rule gummy, then you're OUT.

We're very sorry about it, but it's against our principles to say that Chapel is IN. The best thing we can say is that the music in Chapel is pretty much IN, considering circumstances. On the other hand, studying, reading the newspaper (the editorial page is O. K. if you keep it below pew-level), and playing tic-tac-toe are OUT.

### THE FIVE OUTEST BOOKS TO READ IN CHAPEL:

1. Darwin, Charles. ORIGIN OF SPECIES.
2. Hitler, A. MEIN KAMPE.
3. Nietzsche, Frederick. BEYOND GOOD AND EVIL.
4. Solomon, ?. THE SONG OF IBID.
5. Torrents, D. V. LADY LOVERLY'S CHATTER.

We are happy to report that everything Dr. Vogel said in chapel last Thursday was IN. Breaking into the cafeteria line used to be OUT, but now that you're given all this recognition for it, it's almost the most IN thing at C. H. S.

The parking lot in front of the Science Building is IN. WHOOOOSH!!! It just went OUT. Keeping IN is a never-ending process. But to all you OUT people, keep trying and good luck.

## Letters To The Editor

Dear Editor,

As a whole, I find your publication, "The Conglomerate," extremely interesting and informing. I feel the coverage of the complete student body activity and interest, social and otherwise, is very thorough.

However, in answer to your frantic plea for the students' opinions, I feel it is my duty to take a stand on the MACK VS ?? issue. Miss Mack, I feel sure, has some problem and I also feel sure that any number of the students would be willing to help her if we only knew what it was. What her problem is, I'm sure no one has derived from her useless articles. To me they are no more than a complicated maze of words, that, when boiled down, say absolutely nothing. I do, however, admire a person with a meticulous command of the English language and I feel that my admiration, in this case, is completely unwarranted.

In all respect to Miss Mack, I feel if she can't express herself clearly she should relinquish her space to someone with more original ideas, and ones with more student appeal.

Name withheld on Request

Dear Editor,

In answer to your plea for student opinions: "Why do we suddenly all go to Centenary High School?"

It has always been my understanding that I paid to attend a college. This was my impression until I was suddenly told in chapel last week that names of students breaking in the cafeteria line will be taken.

That childish practice went out in grammar schools years ago. We are held to our honor in taking advanced examinations. Certainly, a person could tell fellow students not to break in line—period!—or corrective measures (not a childish "slapping of the wrists") will be undertaken.

I've voiced my disappointment. I don't know to whom it is directed—Mr. Fletcher, the Student Senate or the administration, but, regardless of the action's source, I regard it as ridiculous! What will be done with the "culprits" who commit the unspeakable misdemeanor? How long will they be made to stand in the corner?

I admit there may be a problem in the line situation. I declare that taking names is NO solution! In its place, however, I offer no corrective measure as substitute. I believe college students should be told a line situation exists and asked to cooperate. There need be no juvenile reparations.

An Indignant Student

### EDITOR'S NOTE:

The above letters were received in the CONGLOMERATE office this week. Any remarks concerning them or replies to them are encouraged. Please have letters in the office by 3:00 o'clock Monday afternoon.

## SEGREGATION?

By Kathy Mack

There is an air of secretiveness on the issue of segregation and desegregation on the Centenary campus. Many of us students wonder why the furtiveness. It seems to be suppressed. Is it because of the Southern environment surrounding the campus? Is it that that is not allowing freedom of thought and of expression in this liberal arts college? Why must the subject be never openly discussed and only subtly suggested?

### FACULTY IMPLICATIONS

Some members of the faculty imply in their classrooms the necessity for desegregation. Last year there was some confusion and alarm about the petition for keeping the schools open in the face of desegregation which was passed among the faculty and signed by some of them. However, few students realize where their professors really stand on the subject; that is, whether they are for or against desegregation. We wonder whether the teachers' ideas are being suppressed to merely implication or whether they do not feel prone to open the issue to their students.

### METHODISTS PROCLAIM

Since the Methodists as a body issued the proclamation that they would abide by the Supreme Court decision in 1954, it is strange that such an issue does not get the attention and discussion it needs at a Methodist-supported college. We do not know where the administration stands. Are they pressured by the Southern tradition, also, or by the need for endowments and student enrollment? Or do they feel that nothing should be said at the present time? It is obvious that nothing is being said. Does this statement of the Methodists (and similar statements made by other denominations) mean nothing? What is the purpose of it anyway? Is it simply to quiet the issue?

### UNVOICED MOVEMENT

When Little Rock hit the news two years ago, there was a student movement on this campus to form a white supremacy committee to keep desegregation from spreading to our own school. However, the organization never voiced itself. Why, no one knows. Perhaps the organizers sensed the "status quo" and realized that it would not change, or perhaps they were stifled by a movement for desegregation which was stronger. We do not know; we can only wonder and make some unsubstantiated guesses. The same forces seem to be at work once more; one can sense it in the general undercurrent of feeling.

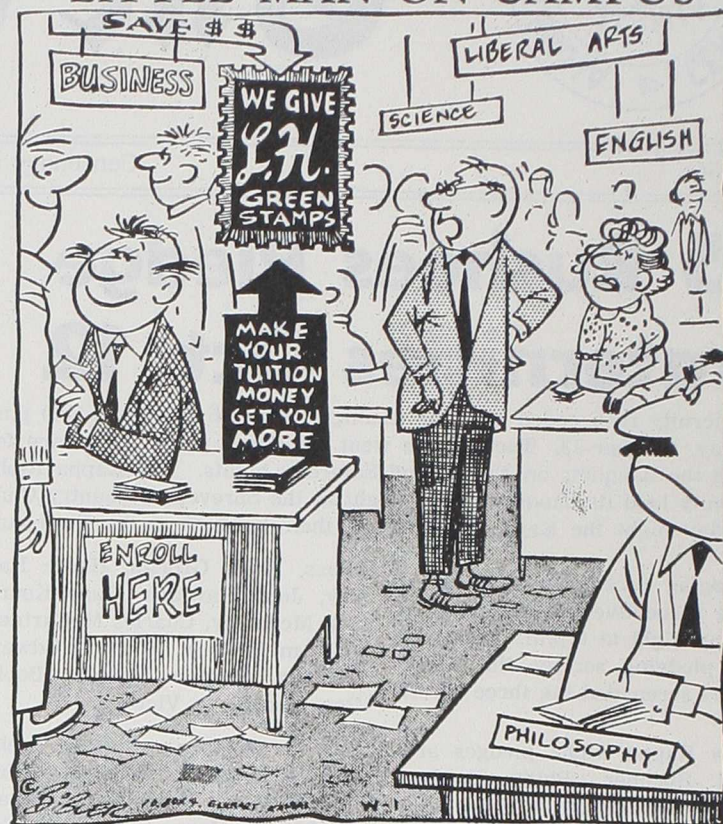
However, what we students need to know is where our college stands, where our faculty stands, and where we ourselves stand. What we need and what we demand is that this issue be brought into the open so that we can better realize its implications!

### THOUGHTS TO PONDER

Perhaps the thing a person fears most is death. Some have said that it is the ender of life. Another writer, inspired by God, once said, "And as it is appointed unto men once to die, but after this the judgment." I wonder.

—Hebrews 9:27

## LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



"THOSE FELLOWS IN TH' BUSINESS DEPARTMENT WILL STOP AT NOTHING TO BUILD UP THEIR ENROLLMENT."

## Student Senate Report

The Student Senate meeting was called to order by the President, Dub Fletcher, after a moment of silence. The class officers, as new members of the Senate, were introduced and welcomed. They were: Fred Willis, Jim Daigle, Paul McMahan, and Howard Elder, Jr. Others present were Dub Fletcher, Buddy Daily, Barbaran Hyde, Connie Gauthright, Ken Hayes, Brenda Bailey, Mary Lou Low, Harold Price, and Dean Allen.

The date for Kangaroo Court was announced as Tuesday, October 27, at the free period.

The Freshman-Sophomore "Tug-of-War" will be held Friday, October 30, at the 10:40 break in classes and a dance honoring the Freshmen will climax the Freshman orientation and hazing that night.

The motion was presented by Brenda Bailey that cheerleader try-out be held November 3 with elections following Wednesday, November 4, and run-offs Friday, November 6. After being seconded by Barbaran Hyde, it was passed by the Senate.

The motion was made by Brenda Bailey that the Centenary College student body support the present United Fund campaign by taking a free-will offering in chapel Thursday, October 8. This motion was seconded by Barbaran Hyde and passed by the Senate.

Complaints have been forwarded to the Senate concerning the problems of line breaking in the cafeteria. The motion was passed that names of people breaking in line would be turned in to the Dean of Students.

The meeting was closed in regular order.

Respectfully submitted,  
Connie Gathright, Secretary  
Dub Fletcher, President



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(NOTE:—Communications or comment from the student body or faculty on any subject are welcome. Letters should be under 300 words and typewritten, if possible. All letters are subject to editing to meet space requirements. Each letter must be signed although signature will be withheld on request. No letter will be returned unless called for personally.—Editor.)





"Four Coins in the Fountain" are being wished upon by this week's personalities. Fred Schwendimann, sophomore, and Theo Klemann, junior, seem to have made two jovial wishes while Jeri Cassidy, senior, and Jackie Rosett, freshman, appear to want to keep their wishes secret.

### Personalities

## Activities Merit Recognition

By Dollie Miller

"When I first came to the United States I thought I was in Africa. I landed in New Orleans about seven o'clock at night. It was dark with lots of fog and logs and swamp all around. Then a tug boat came to pick us up, and there were two Negroes in it. I was convinced I was in the wrong place."

Theo Klemann, junior, was born in a suburb of The Hague, Holland, and came to the United States in August, 1957. He had left his home on a three-day notice. But Theo knew ahead of time that he would reside with the Robert Friends and attend Centenary college. He now serves as social chairman of his fraternity, Kappa Sigma, and as president of the Newman club. His major is French, and he hopes to do graduate work on the subject, although this is uncertain.

A participant at ice-hockey before he left Holland, Theo regrets that he has not had the opportunity to play at this sport since his arrival in the United States. Sailing is also one of his favorites and he enjoys bowling here. Among indoor sports Theo especially likes listening to music—"any kind."

### Sweetheart

Senior personality is Jeri Diane Cassidy. "I have to add the 'Diane' in self-defense," she explained, "because I kept getting all my mail addressed to Master Jeri Cassidy."

Jeri was voted Kappa Sigma sweetheart on the campus and also serves as social chairman of her sorority, Chi Omega. She is a psychology major and plans to go to Tulane graduate school and there obtain her degree in clinical psychology. "I received some good background for my future work," she added, "when I worked in the Psychiatric department at the Confederate Memorial hospital this summer."

All of these are marks of a person who knows and likes people. "I like people that are individuals," says Jeri. "I also learned to like to read when I spent a year in the hospital in 1949 and 1950." Oysters are what she thinks of immediately as a favorite food.

Among her activities and many honors are beauty for three years, member of Canterbury club and class representative on the Fifty Years in Shreveport Court.

### Stuffed Animals

"I like stuffed animals," unnecessarily states Jackie Rosett, for her room, bed, bookcase and windowsills are filled with them.

Jackie Rosett, freshman, was recently elected vice-president of her class. This energetic freshman remarks that she especially likes the friendly atmosphere of the Centenary campus. A resident of Shreveport, Jackie chose to live in the dormitory because, "Every girl should learn to be independent." Jackie also likes such sports as tennis, volleyball, and badminton, and is now participating in intra-murals.

Music plays an important part in Jackie's life. A member of the Choir, she states, "I'm looking forward to my first Rhapsody on November 3 and 4." The Four Freshmen, Johnny Mathis, and Doris Day are her favorite singers, and she names among her favorite songs "More Than You Know." Jackie also lends her voice to the Noel Church choir. She is a Zeta Tau Alpha pledge.

### Coach Wiminy

"I played football for three years in high school with no injury, came to Centenary last year and broke my hand in intra-murals," regretfully reminisces Fred Schwendimann, sophomore. Fred is a current English major and does not mind the reading required in this subject. "I like to read," he states, "and am presently interested in Carson McCullers." After graduating from

Centenary, Fred will go to seminary at SMU.

During the summer, Fred taught swimming at his home town, Coushatta, and coached a baseball team of ages 6-9. He was affectionately called Coach "Wiminy" by his young students who had difficulties with pronouncing Schwendimann.

An active member of the Choir, MSM, Phi Mu Alpha and Kappa Chi, Fred is kept busy between studies.

A member of Kappa Sigma fraternity, he served his class last year as president. He appears to be unique in that he has a perfect 4.00 average in all his studies here at Centenary.

He lists cheerfulness as a requisite to every personality, and a "limp handshake" as one to be avoided. Summing up his life's philosophy, Fred says, "If I could live life to please myself and still keep in the good graces of others, I'd be a pretty happy boy."

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## ON CAMPUS

By GINNY EMERSON

The Chi Omega "candle ceremony" for girls who receive pins or engagement rings has been occurring quite frequently lately. Prime figures in the ceremony consist of **Lorita Donaho, Nancy Dixon, and Jeanne Kelso**, former Centenaryite. Congratulations!! is in order for the new ZTA pledge:

**Linda Sue Brown, Kenneth Hanna, Betty Turner, Pete Boggs, and Carlton Chambers** were a few caught listening to the L.S.U.-Miami game, while eating charco-broiled steaks at Kenneth's house Saturday night. **Jack Greene** and **Charles Yarborough** ventured to Baton Rouge to see the Tigers in action.

Congratulations to the new pledges of Kappa Alpha and Kappa Sigma fraternities!!

Informed sources tell us that **Buddy Hawkins** has a pretty hard time without the "eye-glasses."

Seems **Mr. Kleinhans** has trouble keeping **Judy** and **Jane Rhodes** apart; but . . . who doesn't??

Informed sources get around a lot! They visited Hardin Hall Friday night and saw **Judy Meredith** take a leaping fall flat on her face. Have you recovered, **Judy**?? Exactly what were you in such a hurry about????

**Ann Moreaneaux, Jon Oliver, Judy French, and Carey Davis** enjoyed the Fair in North Highlands.

Congratulations to new initiates: **Gail Stimpert, Janet McClellan, Marilyn Hendrick, and Betty Jo Towery** — Zeta Tau Alpha; and **Roger Williams** — Kappa Sigma fraternity. Also, a congratulation

**Gerry Rawlinson.**

Sam Peters was the guest speaker for the KA banquet Friday night which the KA Rose, **Gail Stimpert**, attended along with **Bill Johnson, Ralph Akin, Bryant Davidson, Ronnie Cummings, and Johnny Evans**. After the banquet, members and rushees met at the home of **George Hamilton** to see films of the Old South Ball.

Informed sources also tell us that they have seen **Sallie Matt Clingman** around the pool table in the S. U. B. quite frequently lately. Who's your next challenger, **Sallie**?

Centenaryites spending the weekend out of town last weekend were **Nancy Dixon** and **Anne Marsette**. **Anne** visited the large town of Ringgold; **Nancy** headed up Arkansas way.

More new initiates: **Hoot Evers, Carey Davis, John Hoffman, Jimmy Hamric, Larry Madden, and Tommy Brewerton**. They were initiated into Kappa Alpha fraternity.

Exactly what do you call red, **Tommy Hickcox**?

Oh! Informed sources almost forgot to mention **Barbaran Hyde's** new ring — a big, sparkley one on her left hand!



## Super Sub!

It's been said that the atomic submarine "Nautilus" stays submerged so long that it only surfaces to let the crew re-enlist.

Perhaps for this reason, the Navy has taken valuable space aboard the "Nautilus" for the only soft-drink vending machine in the entire submarine fleet.

Naturally (or you wouldn't hear about it from us) it's a Coca-Cola machine. And not unexpectedly, re-enlistments are quite respectable.

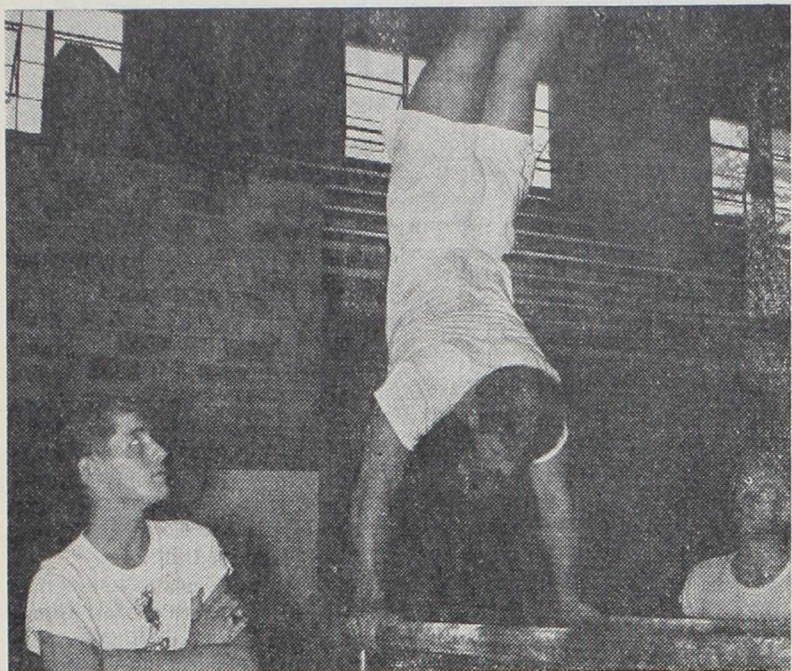
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SIGN OF GOOD TASTE





Tally Pledger is going through a series of gymnastics in preparation for some of the gymnasts team's appearances.

## WRA Announces Teams For Fall Ball Competition

The WRA volleyball season began last week with four games being played. On Tuesday, Oct. 6, Alpha Xi Delta defeated Chi Omega, and Iota Gamma won over Zeta Grey. On Wednesday, Oct. 7, the Owlets defeated the Zeta Blues, and MSM defeated the Independents.

The individual team rosters have been announced as follows:

### ALPHA XI DELTA

Louella Bains, Janet Havelka, Judy Hebert, Sandy Whitlock, Merrill Ann Snider, Ann Smith, Beverly Crawford, Rosalind Verduzco, LaVerne Burks, Martha Simmons, Nora Bess Stafford, Cornelia Agurs, Donna Howell, Pheribie Monroe, Gail Granger, Linda Erickson, Kay France.

### CHI OMEGA

Sallie Clingman, Jill Landis, Judy Hughes, Tanne McDade, Martha Brown, Becky Graham, Joy Cameron, Jen Houchin, Carol Reichelt, Grace Jackson, Mary Ellen Gaughan, Sara Hitchcock, Pat Burns.

### IOTA GAMMA

Mary Lou Gassen, Frankie Stokes, Peggy Elliot, Ann Hardtner, Linda Kay Ellington, Charlotte Stodghill, Paula Martin, Ginny Emerson, Nancy White, Judy Meridith, Sammie Kay Smith.

### OWLETS

Jackie Ott, Butchie McQuiston, Jane Ilgenfritz, Linda Byrd, Nancy Dixon, Maury Johnston, Lorita Donoho, Elizabeth Reeves, Margaret Reeves, Kay Cooper, Kay Tipton, Carolyn Searcy, Brenda Bailey.

### INDEPENDENTS

Indy Nichols, Rosemary Watkins, Pat Lavigne, Fran Lorient, Lucille Gasecki, Amy Matthews, Carolyn Hook, Mary Lou Low, Sandy Vectors, Joyce Smith, Martha Kelly, Pat Darst, Linda Whitlow, Connie Gathwright, Glynda Guthrie, Diane Camp, Judy Thurmond, Nancy Pontremili.

### MSM

Fran Littrell, Judy Mayo, Carolyn Dennison, Gen Compton, Julianne Young, Clarice Krumnow, Jean Netterville, Fay Love, Betsy Gould, Carol Tyler, Fane Bussey, Nuel Willingham, Marie Nelson, Barbara Barbee, Ann Copeland, Ellen Wilson.

### ZETA BLUE

Sandra Poss, Mary Allen, Betty Turner, Nancy Evans, Ann Schaaf, Dollie Miller, Mary Bostick, Melba Smith, Marjorie Brothers, Janet McClellan, Sally Herring, Noni Miller, Margetta Spears, Jane Rhodes, Judy Rhodes, Barbaran

Hyde, Linda Rossett, Marilyn Hendrick, Sara Tiner, Ramona Nail, Lynn Knotts, Judy Foster.

### ZETA GREY

Martharene Long, Carol Maughan, Jackie Rossett, Karen Kirby, Genie Gibson, Elsa Rocquin, Lyndra Pate, Judy French, Kathy Franklin, Linda Sue Brown, Colleen Cathey, Diane Caldwell, Gay Griffith, Ann Morineaux, Ann DeShazo, Beverly Paul, Barbara Boudier, Mary Murphree, Ann Bostick, Carol Ann Solomon, Joan Templeton, Janet Gholson, Gail DeLanney.

## Cossa's Robbers, A Mixed-Up Team

By Hoyt Bain

So far in the intramural football season of 1959, the Cossa's Robbers, the Kappa Sigma's second team, have a 2-1-0 record.

To start the season, the Robbers defeated the B. S. U.'s by a score of 14 to 0. This was a great game for the Robbers, who managed to win while playing very mixed-up ball—they couldn't remember their positions.

They played their second game against M. S. M. This wasn't a very good game because neither team was able to score and they had to settle with a 0-0 deadlock. The Robbers couldn't score because they came to the game organized and they didn't play mixed-up ball.

The third game, however, showed a little promise that the Robbers had a good team; they stomped the KA's 21-6. Although the score was a little one sided, it was a very close game in the first quarter. Again, the Robbers seemed to be mixed up. They play great ball that way. Each play they run is as much a surprise to them as it is to their opponents.

Cossa's Robbers is made up of the following All-Nothings:

1. All-Bayou David Graham
2. Long Legs Lang (Jay)
3. Tippy Toe Tipton (Billy Pat)
4. Coushatta's Bench Warmer Schwendimann

## SPORTS SPOTLIGHT

By Rick Biggs

This is the second of a series of articles to be carried by the Sports Section of the **Conglomerate** publicizing the little-known teams which represent Centenary. It is felt by the Sports department that no matter how small a team is, if it represents the school the student body should be aware of it. Last week the Spotlight featured the ROTC rifle team. This week the Spotlight is centered on the Centenary Gymnastic Club.

### SIX GYMNASTS

Little known to many of the students of this campus is the Centenary Gymnastic Club. This year the group is made up of six men who devote their afternoons to the development of gymnastic ability. These six gymnasts are Tally Pledger, Bobby Sorenson, Charles McCartney, John Henry Wenk, Ray Spiller and Tom Goodnight. The instructor and sponsor of the group is Coach Johnson, who has high expectations for the success of the Gymnastic group this year.

"If the team works hard and shapes up," says Johnson, "we may be attending three or four of the top gymnastic competition events in the spring." With hard work the team may be able to attend the Southern A.A.U. competition, the Southwestern A.A.U., and the Mid-South Inter-collegiate events.

### DESIRED QUALITIES

Sharp coordination, powerful muscle, and split-second timing are the marks of the good gymnast. Only through regular practice can these qualities be attained, and it is toward this goal that the team strives. Last year exhibitions were given by the team at civic organizations, and schools throughout this area. In so doing the name of Centenary was carried to many people in a new and exciting way. This year, between the halves of the basketball games, the student body will be able to see the Gymnastic Club perform in exhibitions of the many skills and stunts that they learned. For their efforts the men may earn a letter, but even more important is the good will, publicity and understanding that is brought to our school.

### SPORTS CEREBRATIONS

A padded tackle game between the two frats?

What can you do in intramurals?

Can we win the national telephone booth cramming record?

Can we get a telephone booth?

Shall we cram?

Is a new collegiate fad possible?

What could we start?

Yodel contest?

Tortoise racing?

Book stacking?

Why not?

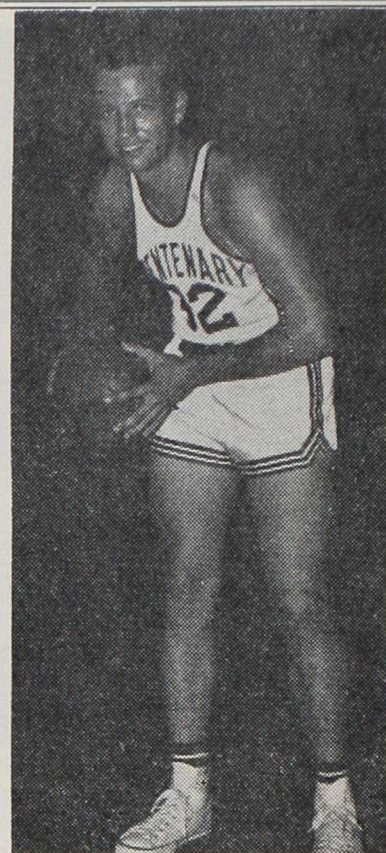
## Volleyball Tourney Previews Threats

By Nancy White

The Women's Recreation Association opened this year's intramural season last week with two games Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 6, and one Wednesday, Oct. 7. In the first pairings, Iota Gamma defeated the Zeta Greys in two straight games, and the Alpha Xi's triumphed over Chi Omega two games to one. Wednesday's game saw the Owlets win from the Zeta Blues in two games. Volleyball continues this week and through Nov. 18. Also, the preliminary tennis matches have been scheduled to be played as soon as possible.

If the opening volleyball games are any indication of the competition for this year's sweepstakes award, then an exciting season is in store. Eight teams have entered to compete in the volleyball tourney. Each one is a potential threat, but it looks as if there will be quite a battle between MSM, Alpha Xi and Iota Gamma. As these contests often become quite exciting and humorous, come out and support your favorite team at 5:45 on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons in the gym.

5. All Everything Daigle (Jim)
6. Give Ball, Will Run Bain (Hoyt)
7. Nice Try White (Dave)
8. Stringy-Arms Sanders
9. All-Universe Don Tyler



FORD KING

## Big Sandy's King Sports Personality

Big Sandy High School's Ford King is this week's Sports Personality. Ford hails from Big Sandy, Texas. While in high school, he lettered in both baseball and basketball. Big 6'3" King lists as his favorite pastimes girls, sports and Huckleberry Hound.

For the past few summers Ford has roughnecked for a local drilling contractor in order to tone up his muscles for the coming basketball season. Ford will be in there trying for a starting berth on the Gent five this season.

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**Air Force Band**

## U. S. Air Force Band Begins Lyceum Series

The annual Lyceum series will get underway starting next week. Monday, Oct. 26, and will feature the U.S. Air Force Band and the "Singing Sergeants" at 1:30 p.m., while Friday, Oct. 30, will feature the 16-voice Pamplona Choir from Pamplona, Spain, at 9:40 a.m. Both performances will be full length concerts in the gym and will be introduced by Joseph M. Running, music school director.

Both events are planned primarily for the students and faculty, but tickets are available to the public at the door. Members of area bands are being invited as special guests for the band concert and invitations to both programs will be extended by Dr. Joe J. Mickle, president, to a number of friends of the college.

### Howard Directs

The Air Force Band will be directed by Col. George S. Howard and will feature internationally known soloists, as well as its widely acclaimed choral group, the "Singing Sergeants." The "Singing Sergeants," directed by Capt. Robert L. Landers, are a group of 25 singers who are instrumentalists from within the band's membership.

The group has developed through intensive rehearsals and expert direction into one of the world's top-flight vocal ensembles with a repertoire in excess of 200 selections, ranging from opera to be-bop. More

than half of these selections are special arrangements. Members sing spirituals, novelties, folksongs, chants, ballads, current "hit" numbers and operatic selections, in seven languages, with band or orchestral accompaniment or a capella.

### Further Duties

Members of the "Singing Sergeants" perform other duties outside of their playing with the band and singing with the choral group. For example, one member sings bass, plays clarinet in the Air Force Band, plays saxophone in one of its subsidiary dance bands, photostats music and serves as official photographer for the band. Another is the organization's tenor soloist, plays trumpet in the band, serves as the unit's chief arranger, and, to date, has made more than 80 special arrangements.

### Pamplona Choir

Rich contrast will be offered to the opening Lyceum event by the Pamplona choir. It was founded in

1946 for the purpose of presenting its founder's exciting rediscovery of the exquisite choral works of the Spanish Renaissance. The founder, Luis Morondo, also serves as director of the choir. The choir is currently on its second tour of the United States, following successful engagements at major musical festivals in Europe.

The 16 singers represent Europe's oldest cultural heritage in modern dress and come from the world's ancient seat of great polyphonic choral music in Spanish Navarre.

### Choral Repertoire

In both the extraordinary repertoire of choral literature which they sing with moving intensity and in their dedication to the ancient art of choral singing, they represent the vital religious feeling and the warm spontaneity of their Basque heritage.

Due to the irregularity of the Air Force Band Lyceum program, special consideration has been given to the attendance required. See notice on page two for details.

## Devil Theme To Be Used In Kangaroo Court Tues.

Freshman Week begins Oct. 26 and has as its highlights Kangaroo Court, the annual Tug-of-War and a Freshman Dance.

Kangaroo Court will be held Tuesday, Oct. 27 at 10:30 a. m. in the amphitheater. This year the Student Senate sponsored event will have a devil theme.

### M. C. Koonce

Jay Koonce will be the master of ceremonies and all Student Senate members will be attired in red. Kangaroo Court comes at an appropriate time because Halloween is the following Saturday. It is compulsory for all Freshmen to attend Kangaroo Court. All upper-classmen are urged to attend and support this event.

### Tug-of-War

On Wednesday, Oct. 28, the annual Sophomore-Freshman Tug-of-War will be held at 9:40 a.m. The Freshman Class President must dig the pit for the Tug-of-War while the loser must fill it up.

This is an important event and all Freshmen are urged to be there.

### End of Hazing

To celebrate the end of Freshman hazing, a Freshman Dance will be held Friday, Oct. 30 in the Moore Student Center. The entire school is invited to attend this dance in honor of the freshmen. The Student Senate plans to provide a band for this event.

## AED Will Hold Meeting, Oct. 29

Alpha Epsilon Delta will hold its annual open meeting on Thursday, October 29, at 7:30 in room 114 of the Science building. The society extends an invitation to all students interested in a career of medicine, dentistry, medical technology, physical therapy and other related medical fields.

The purpose of this open meeting is to acquire pre-professional students in medicine and related fields with the importance of a broad general education at the undergraduate level. Speakers for the evening will include a prominent Shreveport doctor and dentist.

### NOTICE

A book return has been installed at the Main Library where books may be returned during the hours the library is not open. It is just outside the door of the library and should be especially helpful to those who need to return their overnight books promptly.

With the installation of this book return, the fine on Reserve Books checked out for one, two, or three days is being increased to twenty-five cents a day. The fine on overnight books remains at ten cents an hour after the first hour.

## Choir Presents "Rhapsody"

"Rhapsody in View," annual fall concert of the Centenary College Choir, will be presented Tuesday and Wednesday nights, November 3 and 4. Each year, the Choir formally opens its season with this concert. Presentation of the group in concert at such an early date in the semester is made possible by the pre-school meeting of the choir for two weeks at the Dedication Lodge in Hodges Gardens.

### Settings, Wardrobe

Appearing again in the Byrd High School auditorium, the choir will be in settings and lights by James Hull Miller. The wardrobe will consist of three changes during the course of the program.

A diversified program of choral music, both sacred and secular, will be presented. An instrumental

touch will be added by the performance of the choir's accompanists, Abbie Terry and Linda Walters Byrd, who will be featured in certain selections.

### Tickets Available

Tickets are now available from any choir member at one dollar apiece. Proceeds from the performance, which is sponsored by the Shreveport Lions Club, will go to the Lions Club sight conservation program in Shreveport.

### WEEKLY CALENDAR

**Sunday, Oct. 25** — Coffee will be served in the Moore Student Center from 3 until 5 p.m.

**Monday, Oct. 26** — Lyceum program. The U.S. Air Force Band and the "Singing Sergeants" will perform at 1:30 p.m. in the gym—Freshman Week begins.

**Tuesday, Oct. 27** — Kangaroo Court will be held in the amphitheatre. All freshmen are required to attend. Free period.

**Wednesday, Oct. 28** — Annual Freshman-Sophomore Tug-of-War during the free period.



**Pamplona Choir**



## Lyceum Attendance

The Air Force Band will appear as a Lyceum number in the gymnasium on Monday, Oct. 26, at 1:30 p.m.

Due to the irregular hour of the performance, a special ruling has resulted from Faculty discussion on the matter.

1. All class work and other normal academic activities will be suspended from 1:30 to 3:00 p.m. so faculty and students can attend.

2. Attendance will be voluntary — except that those students who attend will be allowed a Chapel Credit for attending. This program will not be counted as one of the total of the required student assemblies, but credit will be given toward the number of attendances required. In other words, it is a Bonus-assembly.

Leroy Vogel

## Letters To The Editor

To the person whose name was "Withheld By Request":

I read your somewhat derogatory comments on Miss Mack's articles with interest, and I find myself wondering just why you deem yourself capable of judging them, so severely. Have you some source through which you gain omniscience on all subjects, thereby rendering such a series of articles unnecessary? I doubt it.

You criticized Miss Mack's writing style with the telling observation that it was "a complicated maze of words, that, when boiled down, say absolutely nothing." I found that, although the style was sometimes nebulous, the intended thought was quiet obvious. It must be difficult to present a controversial issue clearly and concisely with any injection of personal prejudice. Do you think that you could succeed to any greater degree in a comparable presentation?

You also (and this was, by far, your most ridiculous statement) made a plea for subjects with more "student appeal." Aren't there enough inane articles designed for that purpose in our paper to keep you in reading matter? Must you howl for the removal of the one column that gives one seeds for thought? Miss Mack is trying her hardest to make students think about something a little deeper than "where can we get a fourth for bridge": yet you would refuse her that privilege.

I do not know whether vengeance or ignorance motivated you to write your letter. It must have been one or the other. But unless you can cough up something a little more constructive (or kind), please say no more. Read the other ninety-five percent of the paper, but leave Miss Mack's column to those who appreciate it.

An Interested Onlooker

In answer to the article on Segregation:

I see no justifiable reason to protest having persons of other races, including Negroes, on our school grounds or campuses. After all, having them is nothing new. We do have them, but we have permitted their presence, even in schools, only in the capacity of servants, or freed slaves, who have been willing to step off the side walks for our passing. I regret to say that I still feel the desire to have them step aside, but I do so with a sense of guilt. And I am thankful for this sense of guilt. I want Negroes to walk the walks with me, unsegregated, not expecting them to bow . . . and yet as a product of the South, false-pride often controls me more than I would have it. Here, as in other things, I recognize an OUGHT which should possess me, and yet I cannot say that it does completely. I am willing to say "this is who I ought to be," but I am not willing to boast.

I would be a better man than I am if I could say without reservation, "stay on the walk," "come out of the corner into which I have forced you," and "come to class with me, that we might both learn great lessons."

In this, as in other things, I speak not for others or for organizations, but only for myself.

H. Don Guynes.

Dear "Indignant" Student:

I am glad you at least recognize there "may be a problem in the line situation." This seems to be the only fact of which you are observant. The "college students" have been repeatedly reminded of this situation and their cooperation has helped greatly. There but remain the "juveniles" whom you seem to feel were left in high school. I feel it is some one's duty to point out that all these juveniles were not left behind, but have joined us to continue their juvenile habits. "Treat a juvenile as a juvenile" seems a worthwhile application in this particular situation. And finally, some think that those who puff and rant about a problem without presenting a single other possible "corrective measure" are somewhat juvenile themselves. Think this over before attempting another criticism.

John Weathernew

### EDITOR'S NOTE

Numerous responses were received in answer to last week's suggestion for a mock gubernatorial election. Plans are being made for the balloting and campaigning and the election will be forthcoming. Watch the **Conglomerate** for further information and details. Thanks to the Student Body and faculty for the interest and response exhibited.

P. S.

## Class Members Support Orphan

An eight-year-old girl in Macao has been adopted by members of one of the education classes. Mrs. Elizabeth Hughes, assistant professor of education, said the 44 members of the class in elementary education methods are contributing \$10 monthly to provide the necessities of life for Cheng Yau Yee.

During the summer months, members of three other classes in the education department took over the task of raising the money for the child's support. Camille Brocato of Shreveport serves as treasurer, and contributions are dropped into a glass jar kept in the classroom for the purpose.

### Sacrificial Money

Mrs. Hughes explains that the students call it sacrificial money because they contribute small amounts which they normally would spend for candy bar, soft drinks and coffee.

Cheng Yau Yee is the daughter of a school teacher and is of particular interest to the class since all of them are preparing for careers in teaching. The child's father left the China mainland to seek freedom from Communism. He committed suicide when he was unable to find employment, leaving the child with her mother and grandmother. Welfare workers took her to the orphanage operated by the Christian Children's Fund, Inc., because the two women were unable to support the youngster.

### Read of Need

Students read about the need for funds for orphaned children in an issue of the National Education Association Journal. They wrote to offer their services and were told that Cheng Yau Yee had been assigned to them as their "child."

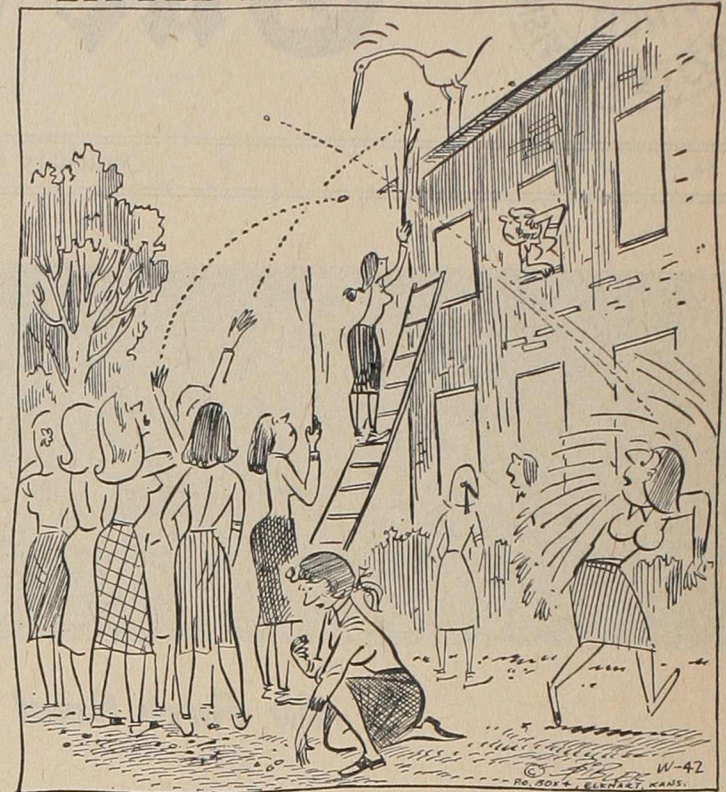
Mrs. Hughes relates, "The letter informing us of our adopted child arrived on the World Day of Prayer last spring. It seemed particularly fitting, and it gave a special significance to the project."

## ROTC Awards 9 Honor Cadets

Nine ROTC cadets were honored Monday, Oct. 12, with a presentation of the Distinguished Military Student Badge. Designated as Distinguished Military Students by Professor of Military Science and Tactics, Lt. Colonel Robert S. Scott, and by Dr. Joe J. Mickle, college president, were William E. Carpenter, Winnsboro; Carey L. Davis, Shreveport; Hoyt N. Duggan, Shreveport; David L. Forte, Shreveport; Richard W. Miller, Marshall; Coan I. Knight, Shreveport; Robert H. Shaw, Shreveport; Carson J. Turnage, Jr., Shreveport, and Charles R. Walker, Shreveport.

A Distinguished Military Student who maintains his high standards of performance will, upon graduation, be designated as a Distinguished Military Graduate, and, as such, may then be offered a commission as a regular officer in the United States Army.

## LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



## IN AND OUT

With Chance Wayne

As we said last week, keeping IN is a never-ending process. Take the Kingston Trio. A year ago they were so IN it was a fix, mainly because all the OUT people hadn't heard of them. Now just about everybody thinks they're great, and everybody must include so many OUT people that no one in his right mind would call them IN anymore. Then too, they've gone commercial, and as all IN people know, anything Commercial is automatically OUT, except money.

Riding around the campus in convertibles with the top down and the radio real loud is IN. Some things will always be IN, like bridge and the Pacific Ocean. Some things will always be OUT, like term papers and Lawrence Welk. Old cruelty jokes are invariably OUT, but new cruelty jokes are usually so far OUT they're IN.

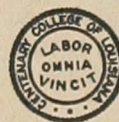
Counter intelligence sources have it that black-market ID cards rose several points on the Rip-Chris average in hurried trading last week as a fifth-columnist scarce frightened many young investors out of the market. If this is just a rumor, whoever started it gets the OUT Award of the week.

Being a Gray Flannel Suit man is far OUT, but pretending you don't have one is like The Emperor's New Clothes.

The most OUT things of today are the ones that were supposed to be the most IN a year ago (Doctor Zhivago, hula hoops, Beatniks). We suspect the thing that killed Beats was having their poetry reviewed for Women's Book Clubs. Intellectual Freedom is IN, but only if you're not too intellectual about it.

Administrative Decrees are OUT. Tradition is IN. We realize that being IN is kind of hard around here, but it's still easier than most places, considering the competition.

"IN" Thought for the Week: The rain falls on the OUT and IN alike. Beware of bogus ID cards, Decrees, Beatniks (especially on Friday the 13th), and Gray Flannel bikinis. Good luck!



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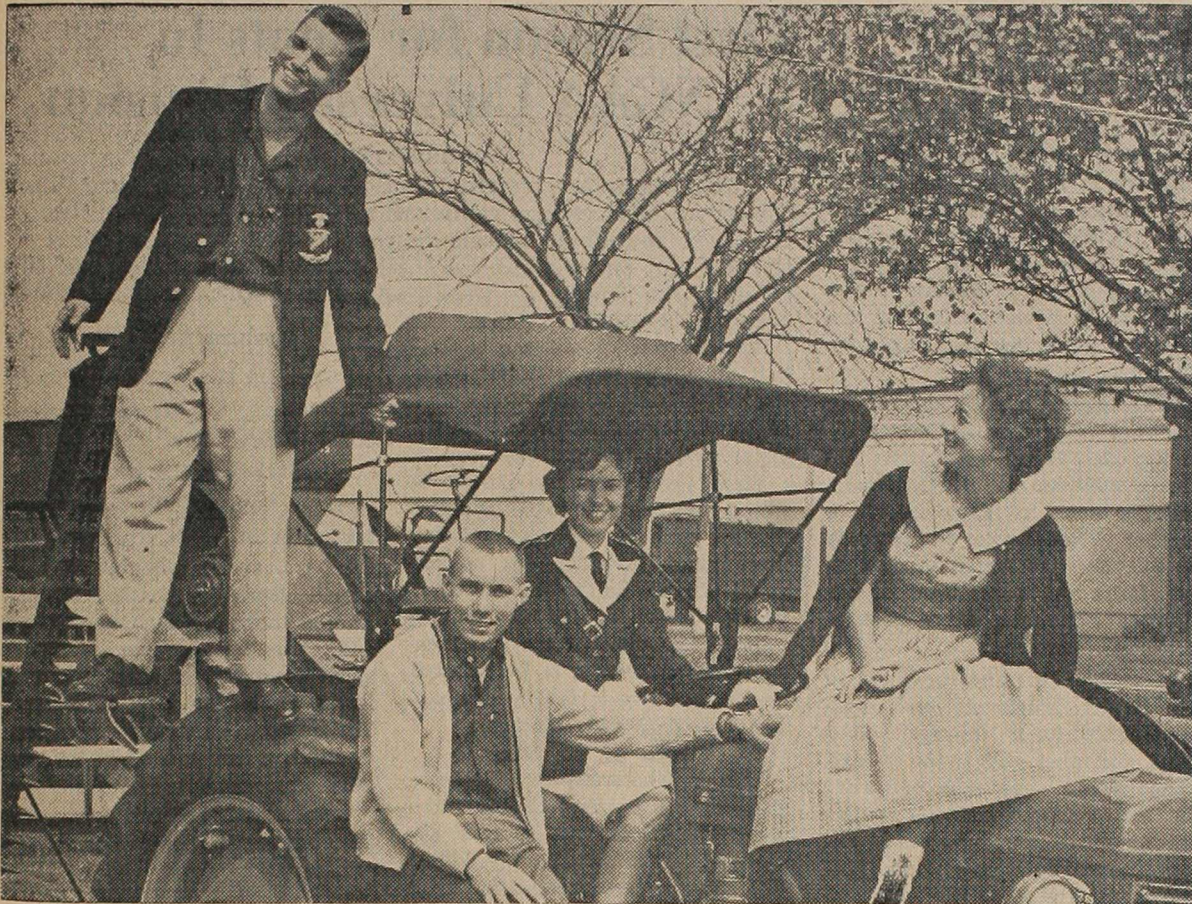
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Acting silly as ever, Jim Daigle, junior, is performing more antics for this week's personalities. Peggy Eaves, senior, and Bob Gaynor, freshman, sit complacently by while Margetta Spears, sophomore, appears to laugh at Jim.

## Personalities List Future Plans, Offer Sage Philosophies of Life

By DOLLIE MILLER

"My old pappy once told me, concerning marriage, 'Marry a fat one, because they'll last longer if you ever get out of work and can't feed her.'" This wise philosophy belongs to junior Jim Daigle. Jim is active in many campus affairs as president of the Junior class, pledge master of Kappa Sigma fraternity, amusement editor of the Conglomerate, member of the Newman club, IMC, student senate, and participant of the intra-murals program.

Jim, a pre-law major, lists "playing pool with all my crooked friends" as his present favorite past time. The reason that he gives for this is that his logic class gets him so confused that pool is the only thing that will take his mind off of it.

Parental prejudice and intellectual dishonesty are two traits which this junior dislikes.

"My old pappy gave me another bit of good advice," he says. "He told me that if I was taking a test in a Methodist school and couldn't think of an answer just to write 'Do good and shun all evil.'"

### SHORTY

"I like to get letters," states Margetta Spears, sophomore. Margetta is sometimes better known as "Shorty" due to her 4' 11" stature. She spends most of her time working in the registrar's office where she also worked this summer.

Margetta is especially glad to see cold weather arrive. "December 19 is my favorite season," she says, "because that's when David comes home."

A member of Zeta Tau Alpha sorority, Margetta is now lending her support to the intra-mural program in volleyball. She also plans to join the bowling team when it gets organized.

Although she is engaged, she determines to graduate with a major in math and a teacher's certificate. "I look forward to graduating more than anything!" she exclaims.

### CHESS DOWNFALL

"Chess will be the downfall of me yet!" moans Peggy Eaves,

senior. Peggy, who has been dating Bobby Shaw for three years, made the mistake last Christmas of giving him a Chess set. "Now all he does at every party we go to is drag out that old Chess set," she states. "I guess I'll just have to learn to play Chess."

Recently Peggy was elected Lieutenant Colonel of the ROTC, the highest honor paid to a girl by that organization. Besides holding down a part-time job after school hours, she also practice teaches a first grade class at Creswell elementary school. "Of all my education courses, I disliked the music course most," she said. "But I guess it paid off. The teacher there said that the students from Centenary could teach songs better than any group she'd ever seen."

Peggy lists as her favorite foods Pizza and peanut butter. "Oh, not together!" she explains. "Peanut butter separately. I could eat it by the gallons."

### ORIGINAL FROSH

"Better late than never," says freshman Bob Gaynor while munching on a sandwich on his way to class. Bob, who is a Kappa Alpha pledge, claims that he has no time for extra activities because he has to spend all of his time working at the KA house. "I would have been in intra-murals, but I fouled up my shoulder," Bob states. He likes just about all sports but "especially football."

Bob is a pre-med student and plans to continue his education at Tulane university. This summer he worked for a Geophysical company in Mississippi "doodlebugging." That's what they call it when you

work for a Geophysical company out in the fields," he explains.

An original type boy, Bob doesn't like TV because it's "not original." He can stand a picture show as long as he can just watch the people and not have to think.

## Zeta Tau Alpha Honors Pledges

Zeta Tau Alpha pledges entertained the Chi Omega and Alpha Xi Delta pledges with a coke party on Sunday, Oct. 18, from 2 until 4.

The Zeta House was the scene where this informal gathering took place. The table was decorated with a centerpiece of fruit and blue and grey mints.

Cookies, cokes and salted nuts were served as refreshments.

Besides the Zeta pledges those attending were: Sammie Kay Smith, Beverly Crawford, Kay Tipton, Grace Jackson, La Vern Burks, Carolyn Searcy, Martha Ann Brown, Joy Camerer, Becky Graham, Gail Granger, Butchie McCuiston, Maury Johnston and Linda Erickson.

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## ON CAMPUS

By GINNY EMERSON

Mary Ellen and Louise Gaughan, Janet McClelland were some of the campus locals who attended the Texas-Arkansas game in Little Rock. Girls, your team almost won!

Chi Omega sorority pledged five girls Thursday, Oct. 22, during regular open rush. Those pledged were Ann McClure, Lydia McGlathery, Beck Musgrave, Marsha Townsend, and Patsy West. Bids were issued during free period Tuesday, Oct. 20, in Dean Lineberger's office.

Congratulations!

Journeying to north Texas last weekend to the home of Paul McMahon were Paul and Barry Nelson.

In Dallas for the Fair this past weekend were Sara Blevins, Robert Lawton, Fay Cox, and Bob Moore. We heard that you'll all really enjoyed yourselves. Others in Dallas enjoying the many activities of the campus of S.M.U. were Judy Thurmond, Marilyn Thaxton, and Linda Byrd.

Among many whirling across the dance floor Friday evening at the Kappa Sig house were Bobby Ross, Butchie McCuiston, Sandra Poss, George Acton, and Grace Jackson.

Congratulations to the new ROTC sponsors!!

SOURCES tell us about a summer engagement. That of Margetta Spears. A belated congratulations, Margetta.

Fuller Bazer was host at a get-together Saturday night out at his farm. Seen singing around the fire were Bill Sanders, Janet Gholson, and George Le Ray. David Graham was also seen — without his contacts!

A very big thanks to Bill Sanders for his contribution to 'Round Big C. Thanks!! HOW?

Don't forget that the Rhapsody tickets are on sale now from the choir members. That's November 3 and 4; the price is only \$1.00.

We understand that Jim Daigle is really fond of blind dates as of Saturday night. Right, Jim?

We've heard that Hoyt Bain scares too many girls by his excessive talking.

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## Students Tell of Research Work

Charles Bird described his experiences in research work at Oak Ridge this summer and Bessie Ruth Risinger spoke on research work done this summer at Lamar Tech, at an open meeting of Alpha Sigma Chi, last night, Oct. 22.

Margie Dukes will serve the group as president this year, along with Carl Mayhew, vice president; Bessie Ruth Risinger, secretary and Richard Haynes, treasurer.

The honorary fraternity has the following requisites for membership: the completion of at least one chemistry course prior to consideration, the taking of a current chemistry course, a 2.0 average in chemistry and a 2.5 overall average. Members are selected each year from those students who fill the qualifications and who show a definite interest in chemistry.

## Elkins To Head Canterbury Club

The Canterbury Club, which meets every Wednesday evening from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m., has elected officers for the semester. New officers are as follows: Buddy Elkins, president; Jerry Joiner, vice president; Grace Jackson, secretary; Vicky Clifford, treasurer; Cathie Franklin, publicity chairman, and Jane Ilgenfritz, social chairman.

Dr. Willingham, sponsor, and Father Hipwell, chaplain, have met with the Canterbury Club at their four meetings this year.

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Joyce Smith, featured in the Spotlight, exhibits the perfect form that made her name famous in local golfing.

## SPORTS SPOTLIGHT

By RICK BIGGS

This Week the Spotlight centers on perhaps the smallest team in our school. This team is composed of one girl, Joyce Smith. She is to our knowledge the one and only woman athlete that Centenary has ever had to participate in out-of-school competition. To start off simply, Joyce plays golf, which is a gross understatement, as you will soon see. Joyce first started playing golf at the age of twelve in Puerto Rico while her father was stationed there with the Air Force. Her first score was not too great, she made 90 on nine holes.

However, it is not too surprising that Joyce became interested in golf due to the fact that her father was a golf pro, and a left-handed one at that. Her early life was influenced by the fact that her mother as well as her father are enthusiasts of the game. Not that the Smith family (three girls) is not too interested in athletics, her sister is a National Olympic Swimming Champion. At present Mr. Smith is the pro at the East Ridge Country Club, as a matter of fact he built the course.

After her first game, she laid off until she was thirteen when she came here to Shreveport and entered a tournament against Barbara Faye White. For the first two years of the Shreveport City tournament Barbara Faye beat Joyce, then in the third year of competition when Joyce was fourteen she beat Barbara and has done so every year since. She has won the City Tourney three years in a row and next month she will attempt to win the Ark-La-Tex Tourney for the fourth straight time. This is in competition against adults, or as Joyce says, "Old biddies." Joyce will now be representing Centenary in these competitions and it will surely bring some favorable mention to our campus.

Some of the most interesting tournies that Joyce has attended were in the summer of 1958. During that summer Joyce participated in the Southern in Dallas, with not much luck against the big-time competition that was gathered there. Then from Dallas, she played a few tournies around here and then left for the New England area, where she participated in the National Junior tourney, and the Woman's National Amateur Open. In the national she won her first three matches in competition against over two hundred women from all over the world. However, her biggest thrill was when she won the City Amateur at the age of fifteen against a field of very experienced adults. She was told during her first losses by her father that she must lose before she could win, so she lost and since then she has won. In the Junior City tourney there were no girls entered in the contest, so she had to play against a boy. He said that if she beat him that he would never pick up a golf club again. She did and he hasn't. Joyce states a moral: "You can't catch a man with a club."

It has been just four years since this outstanding girl won her first tourney and she has already established a record that will be hard to beat. This year Joyce plans to represent Centenary in the Inter-collegiate tourney in California, as well as in many of the local competitions. Joyce Smith — a girl our campus can be proud to claim.

## Running Tells Of Second Piano Gift

Joseph M. Running, director of the school of music, announces that Mrs. B. F. Roberts has offered the college a Chickering grand piano. It will be used by advanced students. Only one week ago, Miss Eunice Meadows of Ruston offered a Steinway grand piano to the school of music for recital use by students.

Mrs. Roberts is the widow of the late B. F. Roberts, affectionately known as "Judge" Roberts. He was a member of the Centenary College Board of Trustees for a number of years prior to his death in 1949. He was active in municipal affairs and had served as city attorney and as a U. S. district attorney.

Miss Meadows and members of her family previously had given scholarship funds, library collections, and other gifts to the college. These pianos were welcomed when the music school had the largest enrollment of music majors in history. Rooms in East Colonial Hall and in the Religious Center Building have been converted into studios and practice rooms to accommodate the overflow enrollment.

Dr. R. Leonard Cooke and Dr. Joe J. Mickle join with Running in expressing thanks to Mrs. Roberts for the gift.

## Klemann to Serve In Newman Office

Theo Klemann will serve the Newman Club this year as president. Assisting Theo will be Mary Ellen Gaughan, vice-president; Angelina DeFatta, secretary; and Charlene Putch, treasurer.

The Newman Club, religious organization for Catholic students, meets the first and third Wednesday of each month at 6 p.m. in Jackson Hall. The last meeting took place on Wed., Oct. 21.

All Catholic students interested in participating are asked to contact one of the aforementioned officers or come to the next meeting.

One of the regular functions of the Newman Club is to sponsor the special Catholic Chapel each Thursday, during regular Chapel period, in the Science Auditorium.

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## First Season for Gents In NCAA University Division

By DON TYLER

Cool winds are blowing once again and pigskins are filling the air on most college campuses throughout the nation. But for the more roundball conscious schools, such as ours, sports activity is not entirely nil. Football intramurals have been in full swing for a couple of weeks and some exciting results have occurred here and there.

But, did you know — the basketball team has begun practice for their up-coming season — our first season in the NCAA University Division. Centenary had been set on a three year probation period in which they were to be considered for this division. But did it take us three years? NO, it took us one year! Coach Sigler, in his first year at Centenary, led his Gents to impress enough people in their showing last season to be granted admittance two to four years earlier than they had expected.

### Coach of the Year

"Sigler, who hauled off the Louisiana Sports Writers 'Coach of the Year' award for his surprisingly successful first year at the wheel, will have no new product to unveil this time out."—Shreveport Times, Oct. 15, 1959.

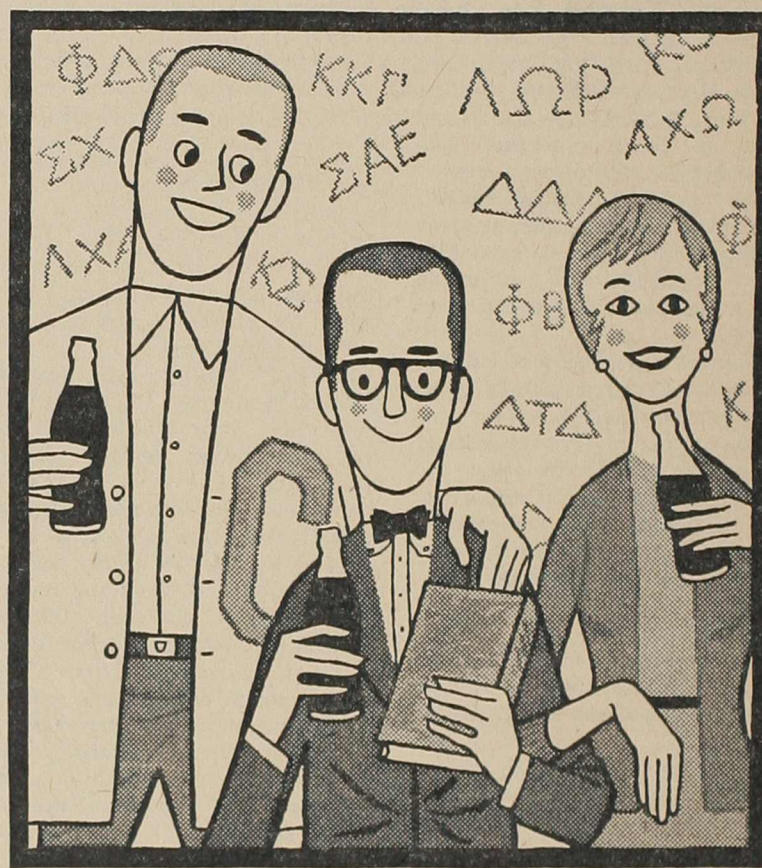
Graduation hit the Gents hard and it will take some rather hard work to make as good a showing this year. The Sigler-men have a much tougher schedule facing them than last year with fewer experienced or already tried and proven basket-buddies romping the hardwood floors.

### Organize Conference

Coach Orv has been trying, along with others, to organize several potent independent schools of the South into one of the strongest conferences anywhere. Members may be Loyola of the South, Oklahoma City University, Memphis State, Florida State University, Mississippi Southern and Centenary. He is doing this because the only time spirit is shown is when we play Northwestern or Louisiana Tech. The mythical title of Pine Cone Champions will belong to the winning team.

### Championship - Spirit

If we were in a conference, the game with other conference members would be the end to a conference championship. Thus with something to aim for, to count toward, more spirit would develop. More spirit, more interest plus much larger crowds at games and a more enthusiastic student body and fans would result in improved basketball program and some much needed "school spirit."



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"Like, man, the MSM Beatnik party tomorrow night around 8:00 p.m. will be the most 'IN' thing this week." Carolyn Searcy, Jill Landis, and reclining Paul McMahan are looking truly "beat" and getting in practice for the ball.

## Methodists To Entertain With "In" Beatnik Party

All you real hip cats on campus who are looking for the swingiest time of your life, make it down to the Moore Student Center on Saturday night, October 31, about 8 o'clock.

This here party is put on by that swingin' group on campus, the Methodist Student Movement, and they're hoping all you cats will show up to make this ball the swingiest that Centenary's ever seen.

If you dig this progressive jazz then this Beatnik party is for you. Man, that music will put you way out! Like maybe, you ought to pile some cool cash in your pockets because you'll be craving that pizza and espresso that's bein' sold.

And man, if you can make some cool music with a horn, a reed, or bongos, we dig you the most! Like man, we'd like to hear you, but definitely!

So maybe if you cats haven't got the message, I'll repeat. We want all you cats to make like real beatniks. Man, we're all gonna look like, feel like, act like real beatniks so this party's gonna be the swingiest ball this year. Yeah Man!

## Alpha Xi's Pledge 2 New Members

The Alpha Xi Delta sorority added two new members to its pledge class Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 27 when Jean Durham from Bossier City and Martha Kelly from New Orleans pledged.

Over the weekend Mrs. Eileen Kerwood, the Alpha Xi Delta National Traveling Secretary, visited the local chapter. The local sorority members spent time with her in informal meetings and fellowship.

## Ramona Nail Will Serve As Sponsor

Ramona Jean Nail has been chosen Honorary Sponsor of Company 0-6 of the Pershing Rifles National Honorary Military Society. Cadet Captain Winston R. Miller, commander, announced the selection of Miss Nail Monday, Oct. 26, during impressive ceremonies in front of T. L. James Dormitory. Miss Nail was presented a dozen long stemmed roses along with various symbols of her office.

Ramona, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell E. Nail of Shreveport, will serve for the second straight year as Company 0-6's sponsor. Last year she was chosen Sixth Regimental Sponsor over candidates from Pershing Rifle Companies in Mississippi, Louisiana, Alabama, Florida, and Puerto Rico. She was also Miss Centenary and Miss Holiday in Dixie while appearing in lead roles at the campus playhouse. A junior student, she is a member of Zeta Tau Alpha Sorority.

Company 0-6 is under the command of Cadet Captain Winston R. Miller and will next appear in the Marshall, Texas Christmas Parade December 3rd.

Numerous parades and performances are scheduled by the Pershing Rifle team and their sponsor for the forthcoming year.

## Davis Will Head ROTC Command

Cadet Col. Carey L. Davis will serve as commanding officer of the Centenary ROTC Battle Group for this year. Cadet Major W. E. Carpenter will serve under him as Battle Group Executive Officer.

Serving on the Battle Group staff are Cadet Captains C. R. Walker and R. W. Miller. Walker is S-3 in charge of training and operations while Miller will act as S-4 in charge of supply. Master Sergeant D. R. Simmons will act as B. G. Sgt. Major.

Cadet Company Commanders are Cadet Captains Merrill E. Monk, David L. Forte, Robert A. Shaw and Carson J. Turnage, Jr. Assisting these cadets will be company executive officers D. W. Adkins, J. N. Guin and Hoyt N. Duggan.

Cadet Second Lieutenants E. T. Pledger, J. C. Schammerhorn, B. J. Bellar, Jim Daigle, F. W. Bazer and R. L. Durham will be platoon leaders.

Company First Sergeants are Master Sgts. R. A. Mason, George Hamilton, S. T. Hickcox, and T. S. Carter. Also Cadet Master Sgts. are platoon sergeants R. A. Atkins, Jr., B. F. Bolack, J. W. Green III, M. W. Eiser and C. F. Knight.

## N.Y. Trip to Climax Magazine Contest

Girls, how would you like an expense paid month next summer in New York? Mademoiselle magazine is sponsoring a contest that can give you this opportunity.

Talent and imagination in writing, art, fashion, promotion, merchandising and advertising can qualify you to enter this contest. By winning this contest you will serve on the Mademoiselle college board to help prepare the college issue of the magazine.

Eligibility includes being under 26 years of age, an undergraduate and regularly enrolled in an accredited college or junior college. In order to enter the contest, you must send in a sample of your work. For details, stop by the Conglomerate office.

### WEEKLY CALENDAR

**Friday, Oct. 30**—Freshman dance in the Student Center.

**Saturday, Oct. 31**—Chi Omega open house for Alpha Xi Delta and Zeta Tau Alpha members and pledges. 9:30 to 11:00 a.m.

—Chi Omega pledge car wash at the sorority house from 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

—MSM Beatnik Party in the Student Center. Open to the campus.

**Sunday, Nov. 1**—Coffee in the Student Center from 2:00-5:00

**Tuesday, Nov. 3**—Cheerleader tryouts in the gym during the free period.

**Wednesday, Nov. 4**—Cheerleader election.

**Friday, Nov. 6**—Cheerleader run-offs.



Pandemonium Kangaroo Kourt was held in the amphitheatre Tuesday, Oct. 27, as one of the climatic events of Freshman hazing. Grace Jackson, traveling via broomstick, tells Hoyt Bain to "let the rains come down" on Keith Lloyd, while Devilish Jay Koonce and Buddy Daily watch.

## Cheerleader Candidates Will Try Out Tuesday

The Student Senate has announced that cheerleader tryouts will be held Tuesday, Nov. 3, in the gymnasium during the 9:30 free period. The election will be held in the Student Center Wednesday, Nov. 4, with the polls being open 8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Runoffs will be held Friday, November 6, during the same hours.

## Chi Omega Honors Sorority Members

Chi Omega sorority is holding an open house come-and-go breakfast tomorrow, Oct. 31, from 9:30 until 11:00 a.m. at the sorority house. The breakfast is being given for the members and new pledges of Alpha Xi Delta and Zeta Tau Alpha sororities.

Immediately following the breakfast, from 11:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., the Chi Omega pledges will hold a car wash as one of their pledge projects. All campus students and faculty members and friends are asked to bring their car by for a washing. The job will cost one dollar.

A hayride at the Westerner was held Friday night, Oct. 23, for members and their dates. After meeting at the house, the group drove to the Westerner where they rode in a caravan of cowboys and haywagons to a roaring fire, hot coffee and a barbecue meal. Entertainment was provided by the cowboys and some members of the hayride group. After the hayride, the whole group met at the Chi Omega house for coffee and dancing.

Current business include plans for the forthcoming Pan-Hellenic Fraternity dance and for the sponsoring of a campus-wide dance next month.

Cheerleader petitions, containing 25 signatures of support, must be in the Dean of Students' Office by 2:00 p.m. this afternoon, Oct. 30.

Campaigns are to consist only of posters, and the gym and the Student Center are to be off-limits. The publicity may be put up beginning Sunday, Nov. 1, at 2:00 p.m.

Students already signed up to run include: Rick Biggs, Shreveport; Bill Bolen, Shreveport; Johnny Evans, Shreveport; Nancy Evans, Shreveport; Bob Gaynor, Shreveport; Genie Gibson, Metairie; Becky Graham, Kirkwood, Mo.; Dan Herndon, Shreveport; Jen Houchin, Shreveport; Theo Klemann, The Hague, Holland; Sandra Poss, Shreveport; Charlotte Stodghill, Rayville, and Chance Wayne, New Orleans.

## Phi Beta Holds Fall Rush Party

Alpha Iota Chapter of Phi Beta, national professional fraternity of music and speech, held its fall rush party Thursday evening, Oct. 22, in the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Ford. Rushes present were Linda Rosett, Marie Nelson, Rosemary Watkins, and Linda Stone. Following the customary auditions, Mrs. Ford served refreshments to the members and guests.

Special guest was Mr. Rule Beaseley, faculty advisor



## LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



## IN AND OUT

With Chance Wayne

In reply to numerous questions, responses, and howls, we would like to state again that anything connected with the Beats is categorically and imperatively OUT. This includes Jack Kerouac, "Howl," and jazz-and-poetry readings (unless you laugh at them, which you probably did in the first place.) Drinking espresso is still IN, as long as you're normal about it. But if you've never drunk any, and especially if you don't know what it is, then talking about it is OUT. It's still all right to be a little Bohemian though.

Being a Good Samaritan is IN. Emergency wards are IN, especially late at night. Chapel three times a week is OUT. So is photographing the other side of the moon. This side of the moon is IN, especially at night. Much as most people dislike it, exercise is IN. Walking is IN, but refusing people rides is OUT. Bumming cigarettes is OUT. Not cheating is IN. Being smug about not cheating is OUT.

Maverick is IN. Gunsmoke is OUT. But Have Gun Will Travel—maybe. Peter Gunn is way IN. Frank Sinatra is IN. Johnny Mathis is IN, if you have a hi-fi. Anything pertaining to the steel strike is OUT. Striking in general is IN. Brigitte Bardot is going OUT, but no one seems to fill her shoes.

Arkansas the state is OUT. Arkansas the school is IN. College football weekends are IN, but missing the game is OUT. In spite of what might happen tomorrow, LSU is IN.

## "OUT" BOOKS TO READ THIS MONTH

1. Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm, with an introduction by D. H. Lawrence.
2. Son of Dr. Zhivago.
3. My Kingdom for a Horse, by the Duke of Windsor.
4. The Diary of Anne Frank, with an introduction by Nikita Khrushchev.
5. Etiquette of Dating, by Sammy Davis, Jr.
6. 1,000 Names and Where to Drop Them.
7. Compulsion, with an introduction by Earnest Leopold.
8. Back to the Black Market, by Orval Faubus.
9. My Uncle Earl, by Blaze Starr.
10. The Power of Positive Thinking, by Charles Van Doren.

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Thought for the Week: Never smile unless it's election time. This is IN, but it should be OUT. Happy campaigning!

## Letters To The Editor

Mr. Guynes' letter in last week's *Conglomerate* reminds me of this poem of unknown (to me) authorship:

Dago, Sheeney, Chink,  
Greaser, Nigger, Jap.  
The Devil invented these terms, I think,  
To hurl at each hopeful chap,  
Who came so far over the sea,  
To this land of his heart's desire  
To rear his brood,  
To build his home,  
And to kindle his hearthstone fire.

A wise man, now forgotten, said: "A nation is judged not by its problems but by the way these problems are solved."

S. M. Chiu

## Air Force Band Gives Program

The Centenary Lyceum series began Monday afternoon, Oct. 26, with a concert given by The United States Air Force Band in the Haynes Memorial Gymnasium.

The Air Force Band is conducted by Colonel George S. Howard and Captain Harry H. Meuser is the assistant conductor.

Heading the program was "The Star Spangled Banner" played in true American style. Two of the band's numbers, "Carol of the Drum" and "Czardas d'Amour," had been arranged by one of its members.

The featured soloist was S/Sgt. Armond McClane, baritone, who sang his rendition of "Old Mother Hubbard" by Hely-Hutchinson. A trumpet trio played "Carnival Variations" by McCrae-Jacobi.

Some of the selections played by the band were "Die Meister-sanger" by Osterling, "Dude Ranch," by Kleinsinger, "Pictures at an Exhibition" by Moussorgsky and "The Stars and Stripes Forever" by Sousa.

To conclude the program, The Singing Sergeants under the direction of Captain Robert L. Landers, sang several selections. Their singing was a tribute to the American heritage and different sections of the United States.

The majority of the students attending the program considered it one of the most enjoyable in the series. Members of the public were permitted to attend by paying a \$2 fee. Through Centenary's Lyceum Series, students are given an opportunity to enjoy some of the best aethetical programs offered.

## RHAPSODY IN VIEW

All students are urged to attend the choir's annual presentation of "Rhapsody in View" on Nov. 3 and 4 at 8:00 p.m. in the Byrd High School auditorium. Tickets may be purchased from any choir member for one dollar.

## Poetry Society to Publish Anthology

The American College Poetry Society announces its contest for college poetry, the winners of which will be compiled in the second annual anthology of outstanding college poetry to be published this winter.

Each student is limited to five entries which must be their original work. Poems may deal with any subject and may not exceed 48 lines. All literary rights will be retained by the student. Entries which are not accepted for publication will be returned if accompanied by a stamped, self-addressed envelope, but otherwise cannot be acknowledged.

All entries are to be accompanied by the entrant's name, address, and school on each page. They must be postmarked not later than midnight, December 1, 1959 to Alan C. Fox, Executive Secretary, care of the American College Poetry Society, Box 24463, Los Angeles 24, California.

## Accusation: Apathy!

By KATHY MACK

The accusation "apathy" has no serious import anymore, for students no longer are questioning what their professors say, what the newspapers say, or what the books they read relate. No! Everything is accepted and, sometimes, absorbed. The accusation is therefore valid. Students are not apathetic as far as dances, or elections, or publicity, or intramurals, or parties go. These things demand and, as I see it, get attention, sad to say. Students are not apathetic when it comes to dinner table buffoonery or bridge table techniques. Thomas Wolfe says of the students of North Carolina of a generation ago in his book "Look Homeward, Angel": "... they talked with a large easy fluency about God, the Devil, and philosophy, the girls, politics, athletics, fraternities, and the girls—My God! how they talked!" On this campus however, the talk is limited to subjects **other** than God, the devil, philosophy, and politics which don't include class officer or cheerleader elections.

## CLASSROOM CALM

In the classrooms some students fast and furiously write down as much of the professor's lecture as they possibly can, so they can repeat it back to him on the coming exam. Other students are so lethargic that they never get around to picking up their pen. Questioning is dead and discussion is nil. Few students really feel seriously lacking if they can't answer questions asked by the professor in class. Rather, they copy the question down in case it is asked on the next exam.

Outside the classroom the student rarely takes the opportunity to discuss any questions with his professors. The time of heated discussions over exciting points raised in the classroom is past. Thinking, if there is any, is reserved to studytime and to the classroom. The rest of the time is set aside for partying and for chattering. The brain is becoming stagnant; knowledge of books and what the professor has said accumulates in it, but no free passage of thought stimulates it.

## LACK OF DISCUSSION

In religious organizations, in fraternities, and in sororities, programs on "Architecture," "Art," "Music," and "Hypnosis" are scheduled. Besides being forced to give a thirty or forty-five minute summary of a subject to which he has devoted years of time, the speaker must find a point of equilibrium, between the rare student who may be somewhat familiar with the subject and the overwhelming majority who know nothing whatsoever. Students who ask questions are squelched because, for obvious reasons, the others present would not understand the answer. Neither will students who know nothing of the subject ask questions which have the pretense of being understood by everyone else present, for then they will appear the dunce. Thus the discussion generally degenerates into about a ten of fifteen minute affair after an entirely inadequate forty-five minute coverage of the subject, when actually discussion should run rampant for the major part of the time after perhaps a fifteen minute introduction. How students can be satisfied with an half hour hodge-podge of knowledge which has been accumulated through years of experience and years of scholarship is overwhelming in its absurdity. But, absurd or not, this is the case.

## COLLEGE CONCEPT

The only conclusion one can reach from these observations, as I see it, is that the college student today does not have a concept of education; rather, he has the concept of a diploma. The pious lip-service to the ideal of the liberally educated man or woman carries no ardent conviction. Our highest aspiration, apparently, is a handsomely engraved diploma, which seems to have become documentary evidence that we can get along with the group and that we are entitled for the rest of our lives to make lots of money. But to **think** seriously? Obviously, this is in bad taste! "The time has come," the walrus said, 'to talk (and think) of many things.' " Why? Why not?

## TUG-OF-WAR

The Sophomores showed amazing dexterity in competition with the freshman class Wednesday, Oct. 28, during the free period, in the annual Tug-of-War between the two classes. The sophomores (ably assisted by Juniors and Seniors) succeeded in tugging the Frosh president, Sonny Elder, and a few of his rascally friends, into the mud-hole.



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## Kangaroo Kourt Calls Offenders to Punishment

A Pandemonium Kangaroo Kourt, annual tradition for freshmen, was called to session Tuesday, Oct. 2, at the free period in the amphitheatre. Members of the Student Senate were in charge, in the form of Satan and his infernal peers. Mary Lou Lowe and Barbara Hyde were in charge of the preparations while Jay Koonce played the part of the satanical master of ceremonies and Buddy Dailey portrayed Beelzebub. Also participating in the sport were members of the Senate, all appropriately attired in red.

To begin the consequences, Fane Bussie and John Ernest carried a soap box into the Student Center and loudly proclaimed that the Kourt was in session and called all Freshman-offenders to attend.

As the Hellish atmosphere of the courtroom produced a "hot spot," all freshmen, ten at a time, were led to the platform to sit for a few minutes on blocks of ice provided for the purpose of cooling them off.

### Disobey Rules

Because of their disobedience to Freshman rules by appearing in the cafeteria without their beanies, Ann Meredith, Joy Cameron, Martha Ann Brown, Mary Allen, Charlotte Stodghill and Glynda Guthry had a contest to see who could "chug-a-lug" a coke first.

The entire session was periodically interrupted by Grace Jackson's cries of "and the rains came down" while galloping around the amphitheatre, via broomstick. At the sound of the cry, Hoyt Bain and Keith Lloyd took turns sprinkling each other on the head.

For his excess philosophizing in M. S. M., Don Farley had to dress in a provided swimsuit and count the fish in the fish pond. He found 17.

### Secure Status

Sandra Poss, Carolyn Sercy, and Merrill Ann Snider had to enhance their social positions (due to the holding of a high office in their respective pledge classes) by demonstrating the art of hoola-hooping.

Dr. Lee Morgan was asked on a date by Nuel Willingham and Elsa Rocquin because of their undue influence of English professors. Dr. Morgan gently refused the offer.

Hundreds of single sheets on a roll of "accidently-wetted" kitchen towels were counted Rick Biggs and George Derbes for their flirtatious actions in the Student Center.

Sporting lipstick kisses, drawn by Nancy Pontremoli and Marsha Townsend were Danny Calhoun and Gene Koury. Betsy Gould and Ryan Horton counted concrete blocks with names imprinted on them.

### Bobbing Beauties

Joyce Bays, Scooter Parker, Colleen Cathey, Patsy West and Genie Gibson were bobbing for apples while "Bewitchingly cute" Mary Bostick was transformed by make-up and dress off-stage.

Judy Mayo and Ezmond Fatter were crowned Queen and King of Pandemonium Kangaroo Kourt for having been model freshmen. Lynne Woods and Henry Harvey drew a "racing" chalk line from the amphitheatre to the music hall.

Members of the Frosh basketball team, Harry Wuennenberg, Don Ensley, Phil Mamma, Ralph Ferrari, Riley Wallace, Willard Moore and John Lukasik, insured that their season will be a "dilly" by each eating a dill pickle.

Butchie McCuiston gave her rendition of the ping-pong game, made

famous in the movie, "Untie Mame." Cathie Franklin and Becky Graham did their original soft-shoe routine. Other dramatics were performed by Beverly Crawford, Dessa Crawford, Sandy Gaskin, Carolyn Dennison, Walter Low, Marilyn Haven and Kay Tipton.

Lyndra Pate enjoyed a foot mud-pack while Linda Kay Ellington, Nancy Evans and Jeane Durham engaged in a test of eating endurance.

Ray Squires and Gordon Talk painted each other with original shaving cream decorations. The court was concluded with Indi Nichols and Bob Blankenship telling about the wonders of the North in a "Southern" accent.

### ROTC Reviews

## Drake, Evans Head Corps Battle Group

ROTC Battle Group Commander is Senior geology major, Carey L. Drake. Carey is a member of the Kappa Alpha fraternity and, as a prospective geologist, he also is a member of Sigma Gamma Epsilon. Like most senior ROTC cadets, Carey's plans for the immediate future include a two year tour of duty in the U.S. Army. As a Distinguished Military Student, Carey will be offered a commission in the Regular Army, but if he decides after two years of Army life to return to civilian life, Carey smilingly remarked that he is uncertain as to whether he will continue his education and do graduate work at Oklahoma University or stay here in Shreveport and merely "get rich."

Miss Lt. Col. Peggy Eaves is Battle Group Sponsor for this year. Elected by the Senior ROTC Class, Miss Eaves will serve as head of the sponsors and will be in charge of plans for the annual military ball. Peggy, like Carey, is a resident of Shreveport. Her major is in elementary education; however, when asked if she intended to teach very long, she smiled and evaded the question. *Raisson de femme.* Peggy is a member of the NEA and BSU.

## WRA Sets Rules For Team Bowling

The WRA council has decided upon the following bowling regulations: Each team will consist of three players and an alternate. Unless a team has two players present, the game will be forfeited. Free instructions will be given the first week. The second week, handicaps will be set.

Games will be played on a round-robin basis, with opposing teams playing in adjoining alleys. Each girl must pay 75c each week that she plays. Games are scheduled for 4 p.m. on Wednesday afternoons. Girls must provide their own transportation to the alleys.



Pictured above is the Kappa Sigma football team, which yesterday placed first in Men's Intramurals.

## SPORTS SPOTLIGHT

By RICK BIGGS

One of the most interesting sports developments of the week was the suggestion Chance Wayne made to me the other day that we start lacrosse in the intramurals program.

Lacrosse, in case you don't know about it, is an Indian game played with sticks shaped like oversize golf clubs. There are two poles about six feet apart at the ends of the field, and the object of the game is to roll the ball between the opponents' goal poles and to keep them from getting the ball through the goal you defend.

A team usually consists of eight players, but the number is variable. "It would be perfect for the type of intramural program we have at Centenary" says Chance. "The equipment isn't too expensive, yet it's an active, interesting game."

Chance plans to present his idea to the intramural council for consideration. And if the council accepts the idea, it should be quite a thrill for Chance, who was a goalie on the Princeton team, to play again. And with all his experience, we pick the team that's lucky enough to get him to win Intramural Lacrosse hands down.

### WOMEN'S INTRAMURALS

Women's intramurals report that MSM is in first place, with Iota Gamma second and the Owlets and Alpha Xi Delta's tied for third.

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## Choir Recording Is Now Available

Voices of the Centenary College Choir, directed by A. C. Voran, now are available on a ten-inch high-fidelity, 33⅓ long-playing record.

The non-breakable record has been custom processed and pressed under the RCA Victor label and was produced and released by Recorded Publications Co.,

The recording contains varied selections, including a number of the compositions most requested on the choir's road trips. One side contains "Christ Lay in Death's Dark Prison" by J. S. Bach; "Salvation Is Created," by P. Tschernikov, and "Now There Lightens Upon Us," by Leo Sowerby.

The reverse side contains "I'll Not Complain," by Robert Schumann; "Black Is the Color of My True Love's Hair," a folk song arranged by Stuart Churchill; and "Dry Bones," also a familiar song, arranged by Livingston Gearhart.

"Melodic Caravan," arranged by Harry Robert Wilson, also is included on the flip side of the record and consists of a medley of "I Feel a Song Coming On," "I'm In the Mood for Love," "It's a Most Unusual Day," "Don't Blame Me," and "Cuban Love Song."

Willie Andress, a member of the tenor section of the choir, has been named manager of sales for the records. The discs also are available at the J & S Music Store, from any member of the choir, or from Voran's office in the Moore Student Center on the campus.

## WRA Announces Open House Plans

Plans were made for the annual open house, which will be held Nov. 11, 7:30-9:30 p.m. at the WRA council meeting on Oct. 15. The tentative schedule of events includes the student-faculty volleyball game, and the volleyball championship play-off games, which will be followed by the serving of refreshments.

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# ROUND BIG C CENTENARY

By GENNY EMERSON

A special thanks is extended to **Mitzi Kleinhans** for the above art work. Thanks, **Mitzi**, for a job well done.

Cheering the Sooners on to another victory were **George Acton** and **Pete Boggs**. While they were there, they visited Oklahoma City.

Congratulations to two new KA pledges: **Carlton Chambers** and **Conrad Woolley**.

Be careful, **William**, it almost broke, didn't it?

**Ramona Nail**, **Janet Gholson**, **Diana Caldwell**, and **Nancy Evans** have been seen working out at the KSLA television booth at the Louisiana State Fair.

**Mimi Lingenfelter**, graduate of 1959, visited Centenary last weekend. **Mimi** is now attending the University of Houston.

The Kappa Sigs of Tech and Centenary chapters had a party last weekend at the American Legion Club. Some of those attending were **Patsy West**, **Hoyt Bain**, **Lyndra Pate**, **Bill Bolen** and **Joe Ben Hayes**.

Several coeds went home this weekend. **Anne McLaurin**, **Dick Johns**, and **Dannie Calhoun** journeyed to the thriving metropolis of Mansfield. **Judy Meredith** went up Texas way—Atlanta was her destination.

**Phoebe**, when is your birthday? We just wanted to check for all concerned.

**Betty Turner**, **Jean Williams**, **Mike Eiser**, **Tommy Jo Hadley**, and **Toney Morelock** attended a KA "After Game" party at the Washington Youree Hotel. **Anne Mc-**

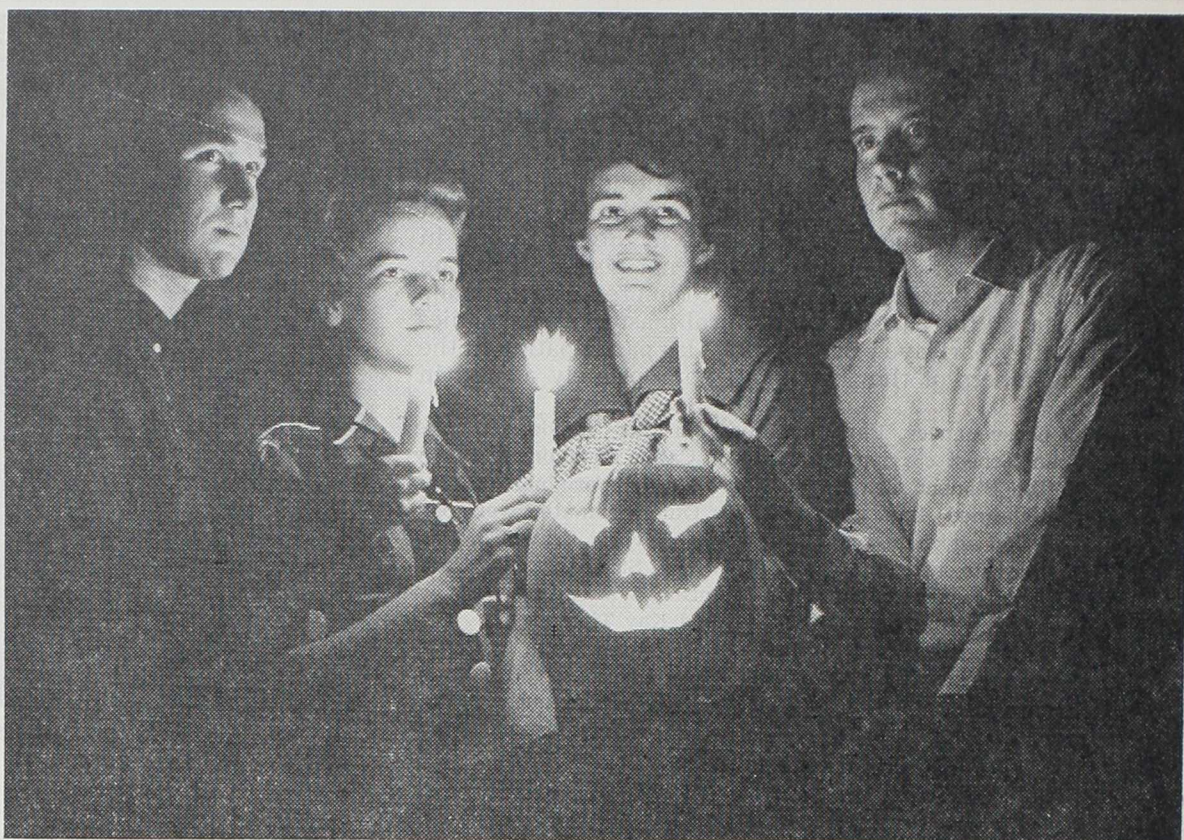
**Clure**, **Lynn Knotts**, and **Ralph Mason** attended another series of parties.

**Jill Landis** and **Jeri Cassady** were a couple of those seen riding horseback with the "cowboys" at the Chi Omega hayride Friday night. Western songs highlighted the evening's entertainment at the Westerner. After the hayride, the Chi Omegas entertained at their sorority house. Seen dancing on the patio to the tune of the Hi-Fi were **Butchie McCusition**, **Sonny Elder**, **Fuhrman Barnes**, **Betty Schmidt**, and **Johnny Lawrence**.

Hardin Hall was the scene of the traditional Kangaroo Kourt Thursday night. **Jackie Rossett**, **Marsha Townsend**, **Maury Johnston** were a few of the "unfortunate" ones.

The Louisiana State Fair gathers many of the Centenaryites into its gates. Some worked; some just visited. **Rives Grogan** and **Tommy Hickox** were a couple of those who worked. **Brenda Bailey** and **Buddy Dailey**, **Jane Ilgenfritz**, **Warren West**, and **Ken Hayes** were some of those who enjoyed the rides and entertainment that the Fair brings each year.

Hey, **Bill** and **Steve**! How did you get in the game Saturday night. Two for the price of one?



Four frightened personalities watch for Halloween spooks at this week's picture site, a Shreveport cemetery, late at night. Pictured behind the leering Jack-o-Lantern are **Wiley Cameron**, junior; **Janet McClelland**, sophomore; **Abbie Terry**, senior; and **Ed Doramus**, freshman.

## Personalities

# Halloween Horrors Harass

**Wiley Cameron**, junior, can remember a Halloween long ago when his parents first allowed him to go with the neighborhood gang to trick or treat. "When everyone went home," he relates, "I was left the monstrous distance of two blocks away from home. Being terrified of the dark, I sat under a street light and bawled (making noises that would have put any self-respecting werewolf to shame) 'till finally some neighborhood Samaritan whose ears were hurting escorted and shot the blank pistol. Ed and friends fell to the ground. 'I guess we scared them to death,' he understates.

A transfer pre-med student from LSU, **Wiley** claims to have more catalogues from medical schools than the library. He invites anyone interested in this vocation to come into his room at Rotary and browse between the hours of 6 and 9 p. m.

"I like many different things," says **Wiley**. "Among them are dramatics (but I'm a ratty actor), tennis (but I'm a miserable player), swimming, to explore old ruins (my house was the first), water skiing, and the Auntie Mame philosophy of life—LIVE, LIVE, LIVE."

## TIMID SPOOK

**Abbie Terry**, senior piano major, makes a timid Halloween spook. Last year when Phi Beta gave a horror show, **Jay Koonce** ran toward her dressed in a mask and black cloak (in broad daylight). **Abbie** burst into tears and shook for ten minutes. She showed considerable fortitude, however, when prowling the graveyard to make the above picture. But, she persists in refusing invitations to horror movies.

**Abbie** has been one of the piano soloists and accompanists for the Choir for three years. She serves as vice-president of the senior class, secretary of the Chi Omegas, is a member of Phi Beta, Alpha Chi, is in the Maroon Jackets and on the Honor Court. When not engaged with these activities she likes to relax by swimming and fishing. She claims to have spent a large part of her free time at choir camp this summer at Hodges Gardens catching fish and throwing them back in. Also among her favorite pastimes is dancing or just about anything connected with music.

## ORCHIDOLOGIST

Most boys pay \$7.50 for an orchid corsage. **Ed Doramus** gets his free—he grows them. **Ed**, a freshman, is an orchidologist who also enjoys experimenting with the

germination of seeds. This knowledge has served him in several ways. Once, upon applying for a job at a local florists and "getting the run-around," and upon further discovering that this florist was asking high prices for low-quality work, **Ed** stuck around long enough to inform a few would-be customers that he had discovered a rare plant disease on many of the plants of that shop, and sent them, horrified, away.

This resourceful freshman worked his way to Europe last summer on the Queen Mary, where he joined his parents. While there, he followed another interest, that of architecture, becoming so interested in the Japanese type that he returned home and built a Japanese Tea House in his yard. He also likes to water ski, skin dive, hunt, fish, and is a member of the Pershing Rifles.

**Ed** recalls a rather recent Halloween prank when he and some friends loaded a pistol with blanks and rode until they found a likely-looking crowd. They deposited **Ed** and some others to mingle with the crowd while the car circled the block. It then returned with the boys yelling from the window, "So, There you are, you . . ."

## FEEL TIRED?

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Your nails grow .000046 inch.  
Your hair grows .01714 inch.  
You exercise 7,000,000 brain cells.  
You eat 3 1/4 pounds of food.  
You drink 2.9 quarts of liquids.

## Halfway Round The World From India to Centenary

By IAN ANDERSON

Few people have the chance of leaving their country for further studies and so I think that I have been greatly privileged to do so, especially since I come from India, which, as most of you know, is almost halfway around the world. In fact, while we are in the middle of the morning, my folks back home are sound asleep.

I left my home town, Bangalore, Mysore State, South India, on Thursday, Sept. 24, at 11 a. m. and flew by DC-3 to Hyderabad to spend the day with my sister and her family.

### Leaves Bombay

I left Bombay, India, on the evening of Saturday, Sept. 26, and flew by Swiss Air DC-6 to Geneva via Karachi and Beirut. We spent the day sleeping in Geneva and in the evening went down to the lake-side to admire the boats gliding silently by.

We left Geneva at midnight and flew to Shannon, Southern Ireland. We had a stop here for an hour and a half and most of the passengers emptied their pockets buying gifts, as everything is about half the normal price. There is no duty of any kind on goods bought at the shops in the airport since it is a "free port." We then flew non-stop for twelve hours to New York, landing at the International Airport at exactly 10:30 a. m., on time to the minute.

People had told me that it would take at least three hours to go through immigration and customs, and so I was pleasantly surprised

when they finished with me in exactly 18 minutes.

I put my bags in the airport bus to take me to the other terminal building and landed myself in a most embarrassing position—for the driver asked me for a quarter, bus fare. I did not have anything with me except traveler's checks and so had to unload my baggage, go back into the terminal, cash my checks and start over again.

I spent the rest of the day absorbing the atmosphere and customs of the people and watching the terrific activity on the runways. I think a plane must have landed or taken off throughout the day at two minute intervals.

### Arrives In N. Y.

I left New York at 6 p. m. and arrived at Shreveport at five minutes to midnight to be met by **Dr. Pledger** and his son.

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## Classes Nominate Qualified Students

Nominations for candidates for "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities" were made in Chapel yesterday by students and faculty members. Each person nominated one boy and one girl believed to possess the required qualifications.

The nominations will be referred to a faculty committee on Student Affairs, where the final choice of candidates will be made. Centenary's nominees will be sent to the national committee and, when approved, news of the new members will be announced. This announcement will probably be out sometime before Christmas.

Requisites for membership in Who's Who are junior or senior standing, scholarship, participation and leadership in academic and extra curricular activities, and citizenship and service to the school and promise of future usefulness.



A member of the Selber family of Shreveport is presenting President J. Mickle with their newly established scholarship. Dr. Mickle extends the thanks of the college for the fund.

## Selbers Establish \$10,000 Scholarship

The "Selber Brothers Scholarship," a \$10,000 fund, has been established at Centenary by members of the Selber family of Shreveport. The family has given the college \$6,000 and has indicated that an additional \$4,000 will be given during 1960. Income from the invested sum will be used to finance the education of a deserving male or female student interested in studying toward the Bachelor of Science degree in business administration.

### BUSINESS MAJOR

According to Dr. Mickle, the family has stipulated that if Centenary's curriculum is expanded to include the Bachelor of Science degree in retailing, a deserving student studying toward that degree shall be considered eligible for the scholarship. In order to receive the scholarship, the recipient must be a resident of the Ark-La-Tex, must be of good moral character and must maintain a B average unless the representative of the Selber family serving on the selection committee should consent to a C average.

### IN APPRECIATION

Members of the family said they were establishing the scholarship in appreciation of "the fortune of fate that brought us to this blessed land" and "as a token of gratitude and as the beneficiaries of a heritage left to us by our loving parents, Charles and Mary Selber, who came to this land of freedom and opportunity from Poland about 70 years ago."

Members of the family making donations to the fund are Mr. and Mrs. Louis Selber, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Selber, Sr., Mr. and Mrs.

Mandel Selber, Sr., and Mrs. Lottie Selber, widow of a fourth brother, the late Isadore Selber. Mr. and Mrs. Irving Selber and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Vedlitz also are among the contributors. Irving Selber and Mrs. Vedlitz are the son and daughter, respectively, of Mrs. Lottie Selber and the late Isadore Selber.

## Music Faculty Attend Meeting

Five members of the music school faculty are currently attending the annual meeting of the Louisiana Music Teachers' Association at Louisiana State University in Baton Rouge. The convention, which began Wednesday, will be concluded tomorrow, Nov. 7.

Speaking on a panel dealing with the topic, "Teaching Theory at the College Level" was Miss Myrtis Fortenberry. George Ruffin Marshall, son of a retired voice instructor at Centenary, was panel chairman. Mr. Marshall is on the staff of McNeese State College.

Attending the delegation, besides Miss Fortenberry, are Joseph M. Running, director of the school of music; B. P. Causey, director of the Centenary Band; Monas Harlan, associate professor of voice, and Rule Beasley, instructor in music.

## Campusites Elect Cheerleaders Wed.

This year the Gents will be cheered on to victory by Rick Biggs, Bill Bolen, Dan Herndon, Nancy Evans, Becky Graham, and Jen Houchin. The results of the cheerleader election were announced in the Moore Student Center Wednesday, Nov. 4, at 5:00 p.m. by Dub Fletcher, President of the student body.

Girls trying out Tuesday, Nov. 3, were Beverly Crawford, Nancy Evans, Genie Gibson, Becky Graham, Jen Houchin, Sandra Poss and Charlotte Stoghill.

Boys trying for the positions were Rick Biggs, Bill Bolen, Johnny Evans, Bob Gaynor, Dan Herndon, and Theo Klemann.

Last year's cheerleaders were Mary Beth Bomar, Jen Houchin, Jeanne Kelso, Jerry Jouett, Jay Lang, and Wayne Stoddard. They

will step down to let the newly elected cheerleaders urge the Gents on to victory in their first year as a member of the University League.

## 9 Language Profs Attend Meeting

Dr. Edward Murray Clark, Dr. E. L. Ford, Miss Lenore Rees, Dr. John R. Willingham, Dr. Lee Morgan, Dr. Wilfred Guerin, Dr. Jack E. Teagarden, Earle G. Labor, Leslie E. Burris, members of the modern languages and English departments, will attend the meeting of the South-Central Modern Language Association in Houston, Tex., today and Saturday. Mrs. Clark, manager of the college bookstore, also will attend the program to meet with book salesmen and inspect the publishers' exhibits.

Dr. Guerin is secretary for the English III, general topics section, and as chairman-elect of that group, will attend a meeting of sectional officers. Dr. Willingham, associate editor of the association's bulletin, will attend meetings of the staff.

Headquarters for the meeting will be the Rice Hotel, and the University of Houston is serving as host institution. The South-Central group is the regional affiliate of the Modern Language Association of America, and its membership includes teachers from Louisiana, Mississippi, Tennessee, Arkansas, Oklahoma, and Texas.

## "Rhapsody" Review

By Carol Reichelt

The Centenary College Choir presented another beautiful and inspiring musical presentation of their annual "Rhapsody in View" on Nov. 3 and 4 in the Byrd High School auditorium. The program was sponsored by the Shreveport Lions Club and the choir was directed by A. C. Voran.

Following "Dedication" by Franz, Miss Bessie Ruth Risinger and Mr. Will Pringle were featured in "Beyond the Blue Horizon" by Whiting. Members of the choir then harmonized melodiously in "Adoramus Te" by Palestrina and "Haste Thee Nymph" by Handel.

Gearhart's folk song, "Blue Tail Fly" was done up in a "rustic" arrangement by Mr. John Goolsby and Mr. Jim Clancy. Following this number, the choir inspiringly presented "Thou Art Our One God — Palmus Hungaricus" by Kodaly.

During the second part of the program, Mrs. Linda Walters Byrd and Miss Abbie Terry presented three duo-piano duets, on two Baldwin Concert Grand Pianos, courtesy of J & S Music Company. The numbers were "Pathétique E Minor" by Liszt, "Tears" (with choral accompaniment) by Rachmaninoff, and "Dances Andalouses - Ritmo" by Manuel Infante.

Miss Barbara Hyde, Miss Barbara

Bourcier, Mr. Joe Sartor and Mr. Conrad Wooley ventured to the rear of the auditorium where they were the "echoes" in "Echo Song" by di Lasso. Bach's beautiful "Jesus Come" was truly awe-inspiring.

A change in rhythm was then brought about with "Tico Tico" by Abreu with rhythm supplied by James Riley. Miss Ruth Velotta and Mr. Willie Andress soloed in "Wanting You" by Romberg.

The final section of the program included "Tenebrae Factae Sunt" Battle" by Higgins, and "The Lord Reigneth—I Was Glad" by Pendleton. Miss Sandra McCuiston was solo in the final selection.

The annual concert was dedicated to the many friends and supporters of the choir who have given wise counsel, solid financial assistance and superb facilities for building the group. Mr. James Hull Miller designed and constructed the set.



ROTC sponsors for this year are Peggy Eaves, Battle Group; Lyndra Pate, Headquarters Company; Kay Cooper, A Company; Kay Woodruff, B Company; Cathie Franklin, C Company; and Fran Lorant, Rifle Team. These girls wear the honorary rank equivalent to that of their officers.



## Letters To The Editor

Dear Editor:

My concern for the welfare of the students prompts me to wish that the ROTC student with the hole in his head will have recovered sufficiently to remove his cap during the next Lyceum Concert.

Sincerely,  
Leslie Burris

Dear Editor:

Although I take pride in Centenary students' general behavior, during some specific instances I am embarrassed for them. One such specific instance was the result of ill-bred, irreverent behavior displayed during the chapel program of the last week in October. On that occasion there was an inexcusable amount of shuffling and talking in the balcony.

It is an acoustical phenomenon that any noise in the Chapel's balcony seems compounded during its passage to the Sanctuary. Once when I sat in the balcony during a chapel program, I noticed that quite natural noises from that area seemed to distract the persons in the front of the Chapel. Since the acoustics permit sounds to travel either from front to rear or rear to front of the Chapel, persons sitting in the balcony should be particularly quiet.

Still, last week's noise was not wrong merely because of its quantity. The type of the noise was disrespectful and distracting; extended conversations were going on during the address. Such rudeness has distressing implications.

One must know many views in order to measure his few. Therefore this year's chapel programs are diversified. Professor Pomeroy's Chapel Committee gave much thought to its choice of speakers. Consequently, there has been, and there will be, a wide range of sectarian views expounded in the chapel. Perhaps each of us will be distressed by at least one speaker's assumption. At least, I hope so. Nevertheless, thoughtful maturing persons will hear each man with active mental participation. But please let us keep the participation sub-vocal, save during hymns and responsive readings. When self-discipline fails, external disciplines usually are applied.

Sincerely,  
Jack E. Teagarden

## Chapel Misbehavior

Chapel and Lyceum programs have been planned with much forethought to interest a student body with varied tastes. Though we may attend a program that is not entirely to our liking or in accordance with our own views, the speaker or performers deserve our respect and attention.

Centenary students, it appears, have to be periodically reminded of the proper modes of behavior and conduct in these assemblies. If, as several irate students have proclaimed in recent "letters to the editor," we are mature and collegiate enough to act properly without childish reprimands, we have not shown this by our recent actions. The aforementioned letter-writers have said we need only be reminded of an existing situation to have it corrected.

Earlier in the year, chapel attendants were reminded in a calm, straightforward manner that chapel is a place of worship and within its walls should be silence and respect.

We have been reminded and again reminded! "Mature" college students should have enough pride in themselves, their purposes and their beliefs to be quiet in Chapel, to be respectful in Lyceum, to show courtesy to all speakers and performers and to leave studying, reading and laughter outside the chapel doors.

P. S.

## Student Senate Report

The Student Senate meeting was called to order by the President, Dub Fletcher, after a moment of silence. Those present were: Dub Fletcher, Buddy Daily, Barbaran Hyde, Connie Gathright, Ken Hayes, Brenda Bailey, Mary Lou Low, Harold Price, Dean Allen, Bud Willis, Paul McMahan, Sonny Elder, Jim Daigle, Fred Willis, and Dr. Virginia Carlton.

It was decided that since the Freshman class lost the Tug-of-War the Freshman rules concerning the wearing of beanies would be enforced. However, there are to be no more haircuts. Another slight penalty for the Freshmen was discussed, but tabled for further discussion.

Reports from the various class meetings were given by the presidents. The main topic of the meetings was the possibility of a Name Band Dance through the cooperation of the various classes. Fred Willis, Senior Class President, reported that the Senior Class seemed interested and committees were appointed to begin thinking about money raising projects for the class.

There was an extended discussion pertaining to the Name Band Dance. The Senate passed a motion that committees be set up to check thoroughly all the possibilities of the said dance. Buddy Daily headed the committee for finding possible dates for the dance, Sonny Elder and Ken Hayes were asked to get list of bands to be in our area, and Fred Willis is to handle any other arrangements.

The meeting was closed in regular order.

Respectfully submitted,  
Connie Gathright, Secretary  
Dub Fletcher, President

### YOUR GLASS HOUSE

Before you start to criticize  
What other people do,  
Consider now, how many faults  
And sins belong to you.

Consider now, their virtues too,  
The good points they possess,  
And whether yours are more than  
theirs,  
Of equal count or less.

Oh, it is easy to condemn  
And now and then a pleasure,  
To judge another person by  
Your own peculiar measure.

But who are you to take apart  
And try to weigh the worth  
Of other creatures like yourself  
Who walk upon this earth?

Be not too quick to cast a stone  
At those you chance to pass,  
They may return it, and your home  
May be a house of glass.

### BEATNIK NOTICE

The Beatnik party, sponsored by the Methodist Student Movement last Saturday night seemed to be a big success. This success has inspired the MSM and Mrs. Nichols to announce that the Student Union Building will continue the atmosphere of the "Anxious Asp" every Saturday night. Everyone can look forward to the candlelight, wine bottles, newspaper tablecloths, and "swingin'" music that was a part of the Beatnik party. Costumes are not necessary, but if you Beatniks feel the urge to go in style, then by all means put on your best "Beatnik blacks" and join in the fun every Saturday night around 7:30.

## Drs. Palmer, Levy Speak Before AED

Alpha Epsilon Delta, the honorary pre-medical society, had its annual open meeting last Thursday evening, Oct. 29.

Students planning to make a career of medicine, dentistry, and allied medical fields attended and heard Dr. Harold Levy and Dr. Robert Palmer speak on the importance of a broad education for medical students at the undergraduate level.

Dr. Levy, a graduate of the L.S.U. School of Medicine, now associated with the Children's Clinic, expressed the importance of this general education to the doctor of medicine. Representing the field of dentistry was Dr. Robert Palmer, a graduate of Centenary College and the Loyola School of Dentistry, and a member of Phi Mu Sigma, the local pre-medical fraternity which existed before the establishment of Alpha Epsilon Delta at Centenary.

Also attending the meeting were Dr. Mickey Salmon who was the president of the charter group of AED at Centenary and is now serving at North Louisiana Sanitarium, Dr. Loma Laird, also a charter member of AED, and the former Suzanne McCallum, who is now enrolled in the School of Medical Technology at Schumpert Hospital.

Assisting in the program were Dr. Mary Warters, who talked about the pre-medical curriculum at Centenary, and Charles Byrd, president of AED, who explained the purpose of the organization on campus.

## LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



## IN AND OUT

With Chance Wayne

Science is OUT. Nature is IN. Dirt is OUT, but the earth is IN. Anything that grows out of the ground is IN, except pink Christmas trees. The sky is IN. Flying is IN in licensed aircraft only. Sandbars are IN. Fishponds are OUT. Water is IN, especially mixed with the proper things (rafts, boats, skis, Scotch, etc.). Most of America's Mighty Scenic Wonders are IN, but honeymooning at Niagara Falls is OUT. Colors from the Great Outdoors are IN, like olive drab, gray, and mustard green. Cold weather and winter clothes are IN. Continental is IN. Europe is IN, but tourist Europe is OUT.

Not shaving is OUT, especially for girls. Fanatics are OUT. Cheating is still OUT, but cheating at golf is all right. Fudging on quiz shows is OUT. We sympathize and all that, but Charles Van Doren is OUT. But knocking him is OUT, too. After all he just gave everybody what they wanted to see, and people have been doing that since the Duke and Dauphin.

We hate to sound dogmatic, but if the truth were known, talking in Chapel has never been IN. Catholic Chapel is IN. We repeat: bumming cigarettes is OUT (unless you're bumming back cigarettes they've bummed from you). Better yet, don't let people know you smoke.

### TEN OUT THINGS TO SAY TO A GIRL

1. Gee, you dance like an angel.
2. You're the first girl I've felt respect for.
3. My, how your eyes sparkle tonight.
4. You should see my three carburetors under the hood.
5. Gosh, isn't this punch good?
6. What are you doing next Friday night?
7. You make me feel so strong.
8. Are you sure you have to be in at twelve?
9. Hadn't you better put some more lipstick on before we go in?
10. I'll pick you up about ten.



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Taking advantage of the last (we hope) hot spell, this week's personalities are enjoying a nice, cool ice cream cone. Carolyn Searcy, freshman, Paul McMahan, sophomore, and Ann Voss, junior, are having a refreshing pause.

## ZTA's to Present Annual Peep Show

Zeta Tau Alpha will present their "Peep Show" for the second year, Wednesday, Nov. 18 at 7:30 p.m. in the Sub.

Some of the latest styles in all types of women's apparel from sports clothes to cocktail dresses will be modeled by the following carefully chosen group of males: Jimmie Hamric, Bill Johnson, Dan Herndon, George Hamilton, Ken Hayes, Larry Madden, Ralph Mason, Tommy Hadley, Phil Mumma, Don Hensley, Tooley Martello, Bill Eubanks, Dub Fletcher, Paul McMahan, Hoyt Bains, Bob Blankenship, Bill Bolen, Jackie Carpenter, Sonny Elder, Butch Franklin, Jim Daigle, Fuller Bazer and Don Tyler.

## Women Bowlers Join Intramurals

The intramurals bowling tournament began Thursday, Oct. 29, at 4 p.m., when the teams met to set their averages and the handicap. The three teams in the league, each consisting of three players and one alternate, are sponsored by MSM, Alpha Xi Delta, and Zeta Tau Alpha. Each team also has elected a secretary to keep the scores. At the end of the tournament, the scores will be added up and the team with the highest average will be announced as the tournament champion.

Individual player sports also began this week, with the first shuffleboard and paddleball games being played Monday, Nov. 2.

## Morgan Spoke At AEA Convention

The American Education Association is holding its 91st annual convention in the Exhibit Hall in Oaklawn Park, Little Rock, Ark. The program will conclude today. Dr. Lee Morgan, associate professor of English, was one of the principal speakers at the program yesterday afternoon. His topic, "A Desirable Literary Background for College Freshmen," was among other discussions and addresses on all phases of education.

Dr. Morgan holds the BA degree from the University of Tennessee and the PhD from the University of Florida.

# ROUND BIG C CENTENARY

By GINNY EMERSON

Nora Bess Stafford, Cornelia Agurs, Barbara Boudier, Judy Herbert, and Sandy Whitlock were a few of those seen having hot chocolate and donuts at the Chi O house Saturday morning. Later, after the breakfast the pledges had a carwash. Some of their customers included Larry Madden, Warren West, Paul McMahan, and David Graham.

Congratulations to Diane Caldwell and Tim Temple — Diane is proudly displaying the drop letters of Kappa Sigma.

INFORMED SOURCES have told of the incident of the 90-pound wonder, Gail Yarborough, who was found sitting in the water fountain in James Dormitory.

A few of those whirling across the dance floor to the entertainment of the Class Cutters were Bill Bolen, Jackie Rossett, Grace Jackson, and Terrell Rourke.

Acting as Beatniks at the MSM party Saturday night were Catherine Chesney, Jerry Jouett, Jay Koonce. Some of these Beatniks were seen riding trollies — huh, Carol Reichelt and Fred Schwendimann??

A variety of attractions was held at the KAPPA SIGMA house Saturday night — posters, dancing, and football via radio. On hand for the numerous attractions were Linda Rossett, Don Tyler, Sandra Poss, Sammie Kay Smith, and Furhman Barnes.

Many Centenaryites traveled various places this past weekend. Arkansas had as its visitors Mary Ellen and Louise Gaughan. S.M.U. had Pat Burns, Roger Williams, and Judy Meredith as its guests. While L.S.U. had the pleasure of Virginia Bobbitt, Gene LaCaze, Jean Stephens, and George Gilmer for visitors.

Perry and Jerry Winterrowd visited the Kappa Sigma House last weekend. They graduated in 1959.

Drawing posters and eating hamburgers were a couple of the things that took place at the Kappa Alpha house Saturday afternoon and

some of those seen there were Peggy Eaves, Bob Shaw, Faye Cox, Bob Moore, and Bill Johnson. Janet McClellan, Gail Delaney, and Ralph Akin were a few of those who frequented the new Coffee House in town. Also seen there were Dollie Miller and Butch Franklin.

Hey, Spanky, what's the ulcer for???

Congratulations to the Alpha Xi Delta's new pledges, Jean Durham and Martha Kelly.

Congratulations to the new fraternity pledges! Kappa Sigma pledges Gaddis Oliver from Bosier City and Kappa Alpha pledged Phil Mumma from St. Louis and Bill Robinson from Shreveport. Congratulations, men!

Sara Hitchcock and Jay Lang have been seen lately.

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# Personalities Avoid Snakes, Horses

By DOLLIE MILLER

STUDENTS BEWARE!! Carolyn Searcy, freshman, wielded a mean machete throughout most of the summer and became quite able at its use. Carolyn, who worked as a counselor at a Girl Scout camp in West Texas, claims that these weapons were a "vital necessity" to ward off lurking snakes which overran the place. "My kiddies even mistook me for a boy the first day," says she. "Most of the counselors had short hair and wore blue-jeans. Some of the kids were ready to go home!"

Carolyn serves as president of the Chi Omega pledge class, plays on the Owllette volleyball team in intramurals, is in the Pep Squad and a member of MSM. "I guess keeping up with myself is my favorite past-time," she states.

She chose Centenary as her future for the next four years when she visited here last February and admits, "I liked the campus, I liked the city, I liked the faculty, and I liked the people."

### ENJOYS DATING

Paul McMahan has also had his share of snake encounters. While he was working with a Texas highway department last summer, Paul narrowly escaped a copperhead's kiss of death. "From now on I'm sticking to girls," he says, and admits that dating is about his favorite past-time.

Other past-times require his attention, however, for Paul was elected by the sophomore class to serve as president. He is a member of the Choir, is an MSM host, and treasurer of Kappa Chi.

Although no wielder of machetes, Paul swings a mean crutch. "This," he explains, "is a result of the Freshman-Sophomore Tug-O-War. I might have won, but I lost considerably." Paul had a collision with a steel cleat which caused him to have six stitches taken in his foot. Says he, "Cheesie told us to stand on both feet and

sing lustily during Rhapsody. It got to be a pain."

### TEXAS TRANSFER

"My most time-consuming occupation for the next five months will be looking for letters from Ft. Jackson," says Ann Voss, junior. Ann transferred this year from Louisiana Tech and is working toward a Spanish and business education major. She lived in Texas before moving to Shreveport fourteen years ago but still "jest caint git rid of that ole Texan drawl."

While at Tech, Ann was a member of Alpha Chi Omega sorority. She now spends a good deal of her time modeling. "I'm awfully unathletic," she confesses, "but I do like my swimming class in P.E." She also used to enjoy horseback riding until she witnessed this author fall heavily from one of the brutes.

Ann sums up her own assets when she says, "I guess what I look for more than anything else in others is consideration for other people."

### FARM DERBY

Friday, November 20 is the date of the Alpha Xi Delta Farm Derby. This evening of fun will include such things as a pie-eating contest in which the faculty is encouraged to compete, a sack race, and a hog-calling contest. During the evening, Dr. Rice will call some square dances. Make November 20 your night for fun "down on the farm" and come to the Farm Derby in the Student Union Building at 7:30.

### DOLLY'S DILEMMA

or

### Ode to a Crazy Mixed-up Budget

In the land of Squaresville, a long time ago,  
I was given money by my dear "Daddy-o".  
Said he, with a fiendish, like crazy man, lear,  
"This is all you get per week, my dear."  
Now I ask you, in this age of atoms and such  
Can this paltry stipend do very much?  
There's cokes to be bought, and lipstick and clothes  
And always some hose, as every girl knows.

Dolly, dear Dolly, don't worry or frown.  
Don't let finances get you down.  
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To stretch your money to limits untold.  
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## SPORTS SPOTLIGHT

By RICK BIGGS

Well, now that men's intramural football is over, it would be good for us to look at the results of a season of play to see just exactly how each team fared. These are the results as received from the office of Coach Johnson.

### FIRST ROUND

Kappa Alpha vs. Golden Pheasants..... Golden Pheasants, 41-0  
Cossa's Robbers vs. B.S.U..... Cossa's Robbers, 22-0  
M.S.M. vs. Blackhawks..... M.S.M. by Forfeit

### SECOND ROUND

Alpha Sigma Chi vs. B.S.U..... B.S.U. by Forfeit  
Kappa Alpha vs. Blackhawks..... Blackhawks, 20-13  
Cossa's Robbers vs. M.S.M..... Draw, 0-0

### THIRD ROUND

Kappa Sigma vs. Blackhawks..... Kappa Sigma, 33-0  
Alpha Sigma Chi vs. M.S.M..... M.S.M., 19-6  
Kappa Alpha vs. Cossa's Robbers..... Cossa's Robbers, 21-6

### FOURTH ROUND

Alpha Sigma Chi vs. Kappa Alpha..... Kappa Alpha by Forfeit  
Kappa Sigma vs. Cossa's Robbers..... Kappa Sigma, 32-0  
Golden Pheasants vs. M.S.M..... Golden Pheasants, 27-20

### FIFTH ROUND

Kappa Sigma vs. Alpha Sigma Chi..... Kappa Sigma by Forfeit  
Kappa Alpha vs. B.S.U..... Kappa Alpha, 27-12  
Blackhawks vs. Golden Pheasants..... Golden Pheasants, 19-6

### SIXTH ROUND

M.S.M. vs. Kappa Alpha..... M.S.M., 20-14  
B.S.U. vs. Blackhawks..... Blackhawks, 13-6  
Golden Pheasants vs. Kappa Sigma..... Kappa Sigma, 19-8

### SEVENTH ROUND

Blackhawks vs. Alpha Sigma Chi..... Blackhawks by Forfeit  
Cossa's Robbers vs. Golden Pheasants..... Cossa's Robbers, 13-6  
B.S.U. vs. Kappa Sigma..... Kappa Sigma, 32-0

### EIGHTH ROUND

M.S.M. vs. B.S.U..... M.S.M., 20-6  
Alpha Sigma Chi vs. Cossa's Robbers..... Cossa's Robbers by Forfeit  
Kappa Alpha vs. Kappa Sigma..... Kappa Sigma, 50-0

### NINTH ROUND

Kappa Sigma vs. M.S.M..... Kappa Sigma, 22-6  
Blackhawks vs. Cossa's Robbers..... Cossa's Robbers, 18-0  
B.S.U. vs. Golden Pheasants..... Golden Pheasants by Forfeit

### TENTH ROUND

Golden Pheasants vs. Alpha Sigma Chi..... Golden Pheasants by Forfeit

### FINALS

Kappa Sigma vs. M.S.M..... Kappa Sigma, 31-0  
Cossa's Robbers vs. Golden Pheasants..... Cossa's Robbers, 21-6  
M.S.M. vs. Golden Pheasants..... Draw, 14-14  
Kappa Sigma vs. Cossa's Robbers..... Kappa Sigma, 33-0

### Results

First place, KAPPA SIGMA

Second place, COSSA'S ROBBERS

Third place, Tie, M.S.M. - GOLDEN PHEASANTS

So that wraps up football for this year at Centenary. I am sure that all who played will agree with me when I say that the games were fun for everyone—players and spectators. One consolation for the losers, you do not have to worry about losing your football scholarships. The Board has met and decided to let you try again next season.

For those of you who may have not been able to participate in the football intramurals, there are other activities which you may enter. Tennis has begun; handball, volleyball and bowling will start before long. Form your teams, register them and/or yourselves and get into the swing of things.

## Students, Faculty To Vie In Game

The Women's Recreation Association will hold its annual open house in the Haynes Memorial Gymnasium, 7 to 8 p.m., Thursday, Nov. 11. The evening's program, under the direction of Fran Littrell and her committee members, Judy Mayo and Sandy Whitlock, will be highlighted by a student versus faculty volleyball game.

Members of the faculty team will be Mrs. Bacon, Dr. Carlton, Miss Estes, Mr. Hanson, Dr. Labor, Miss McKnight, and Dr. Morgan. The student team will be composed of representatives of the Men's Intramural Council and players from each of the organizations represented in the WRA: Alpha Xi Delta, Chi Omega, Independents, MSM, WRA Council, and Zeta Tau Alpha. Following the volleyball game, refreshments will be served.

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## Billy Eubanks Returns To Gent Varsity Squad

By Dave White

Billy "Weasel" Eubanks is this week's Sports Personality. Billy transferred here from Alabama and had to sit out one full season before he was eligible to play for Centenary.

After a successful season last year with the Gents, he will be spearheading the drives this year. Billy is considered the "Quarterback" of the Gent five offensive plays with his decep-

tive dribbling and sure shooting.

While watching play, you hardly know he's around until he gets his hand on the ball—but then he takes command. He directs court traffic with all of the poise of a Times Square Cop.

## ROTC Rifle Team Begins Competition

Centenary College ROTC Rifle Team began the season in the Shreveport City League Wednesday night, Nov. 4, at Byrd High School. The team, coached by M/Sgt. Miller, came in second in the league last year behind the Byrd team, as they lost by one match.

David Simmons serves as cadet manager of this year's team, which consists of Tommy Harwell, Thomas Goodnight, Harold Bounds, Jerry LaBruyere, James Riley, John Earnest, Charles Biggs, Bill Nelson, and Charles Squyres.

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## MSM Holds Lead In Ball Competition

At present, MSM is in first place in the women's intramural volleyball tournament, with Iota Gamma and Alpha Xi Delta tied for second place. Jackie Ott, tournament director, has explained that because the games are played on a round-robin basis, with each team playing the same number of games, the tournament champion will be the team that has won the largest number of games. Because some games had to be rescheduled, the tournament will continue through the month of November, the last games probably being played on Dec. 2.

### HANDBALL

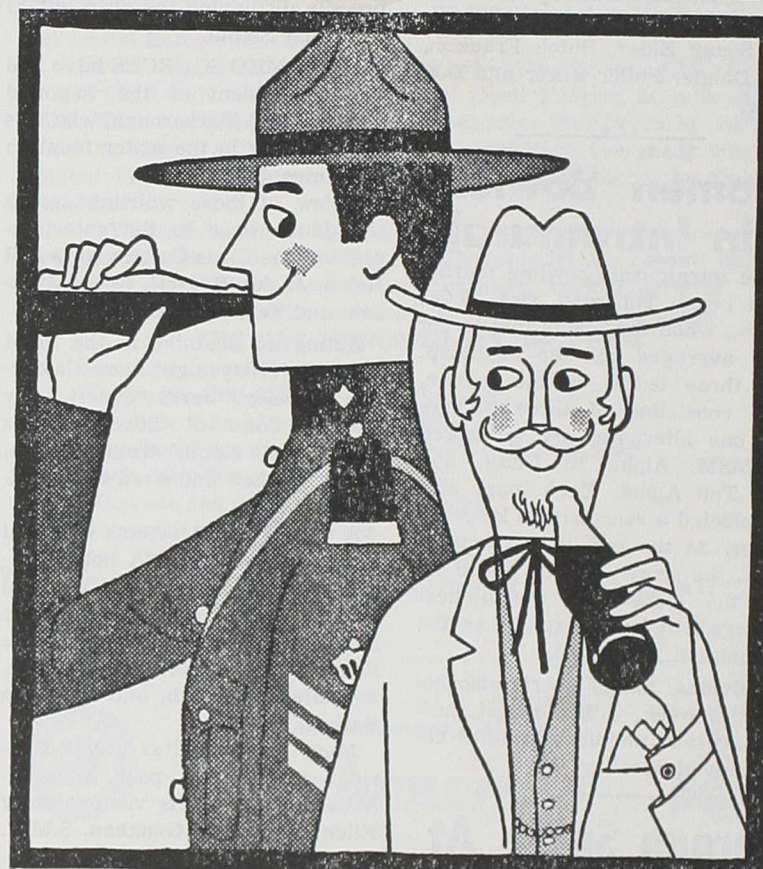
The following games must be completed by Nov. 9:

#### SINGLES

Bennett vs. Sanders  
Miller vs. Hickcox  
Jouett vs. Pledger  
Martello vs. Hanna  
Gouthiere vs. McMahan  
Kalmbach vs. Victory  
McCoy vs. Fletcher  
Gibson vs. Wooley

#### DOUBLES

McCoy-Jouett vs.  
Bennett-McMahan  
Gouthiere-Miller vs.  
Hanna-Kalmbach  
Victory-Sanders vs.  
Fletcher-Pledger  
Martello-Wooley vs.  
Gibson-Carter



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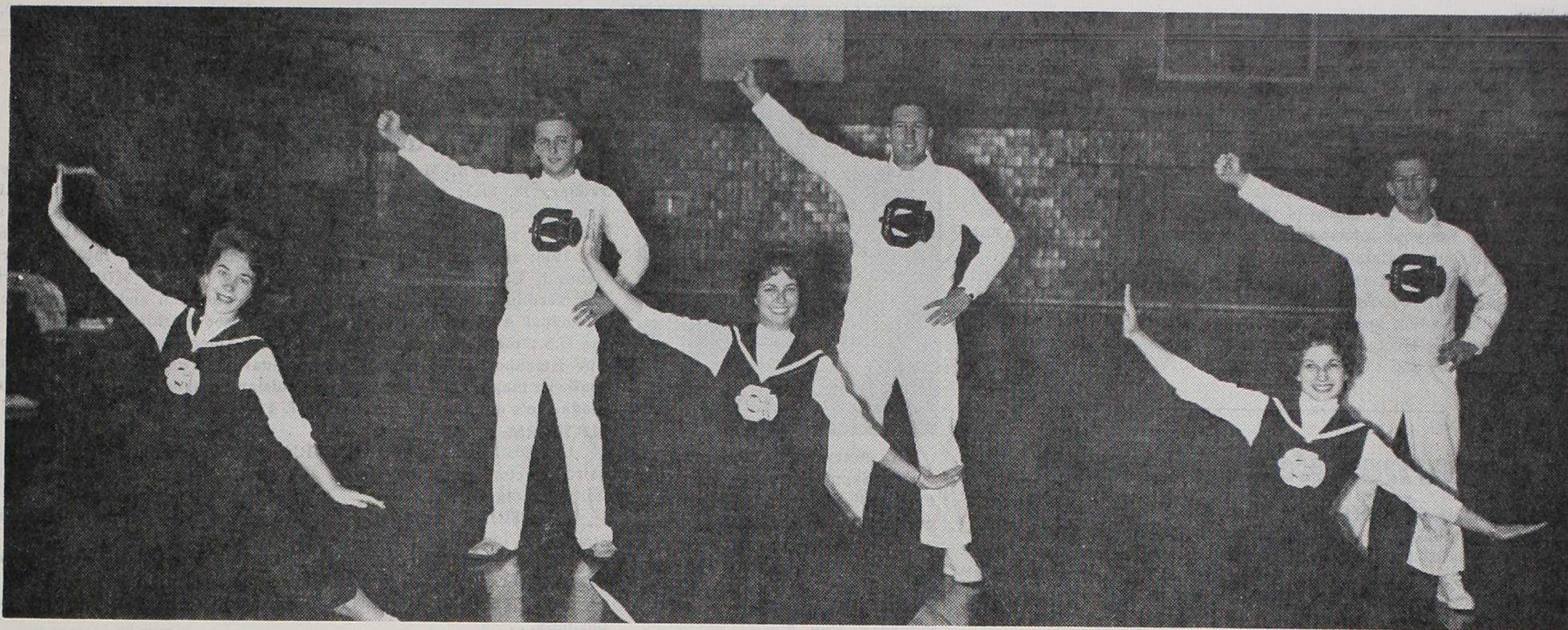
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Cheering the Gents to victory this season will be Nancy Evans, Dan Herndon, Becky Graham, Rick Biggs, Jen Houchin, and Bill Bolen. The new cheerleaders were elected last week in a campus-wide election.



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## Rosett Represents Company O-6, PR's

Miss Linda Rosett, Shreveport, was elected to represent Company O-6, Pershing Rifles, as sponsor and honorary Captain in a meeting of the Pershing Rifles last Tuesday at the free period. Miss Rosett is a junior student here at Centenary majoring in music education and piano. She is a member of the Centenary Choir and her sorority is Zeta Tau Alpha. During her senior year at Byrd High School, Miss Rosett served as sponsor for the Patton Platoon.

Yesterday afternoon the P. R. Company, under the command of Cadet Capt. R. Winston Miller, presented an exhibition of fancy drill and a ceremony of presentation in front of James Memorial Dormitory in her honor. The Order of her election was read and presented by 2nd Lt. Barry F. Bolack and a bouquet of a dozen long-stemmed roses was presented by Capt. Miller.

The P. R. Fourragere, presented by 2nd Lt. S. Thompson Hickcox, is a citation cord of blue and white to be worn on the left shoulder. Miss Rosett was presented with her officer's Epaulets by 2nd Lt. John W. Green. These consist of two white strips on a blue field and are to be worn on both shoulders. The rank includes the blue shield of Pershing Rifles on which is two crossed rifles and a torch. Just at the top of the shield is two silver bars of Miss Rosett's rank of Captain. The rank is worn pinned onto the Epaulets and was presented her by 2nd Lt. Gene H. LaCaze. 1st Lt. Robert S. Durham, Executive Officer of the Company, was in command during the presentation ceremony.

Miss Rosett will serve as sponsor of Company O-6 for the ensuing year and will represent the Company in competition for Regimental

Sponsor and possibly in competition for sponsor of the entire National Society of Pershing Rifles.

The Pershing Rifles will appear in the Gent's Club Parade on Nov. 17, for the kick-off of basketball season. On Dec. 3, the Company will travel to Marshall for the Christmas Parade there.

## Traditional Derby Features Contests

Alpha Xi Delta invites all Centenary students to their annual Farm Derby, which will be held in the Moore Student Center at 7:30 on Nov. 20.

The evening will begin with some good country square-dancing called by Dr. Rice. A variety of contests, reminiscent of life down on the farm, will follow the square dancing. The highlight of the evening will be a pie-eating contest between several members of the faculty. Several organizations on campus will be encouraged to enter a contestant. Other contests, such as the hog-calling contest, sack race and foot race, will give everyone present an opportunity to demonstrate their skill and dexterity.

Party favors will be sold and a door prize will be presented to some lucky person. Set aside Nov. 20 on your calendar as the night for the Alpha Xi Delta Farm Derby.

## Name-Band Dance Scheduled for Feb.

The Student Senate is sponsoring a dance sometime in February which would tie in with basketball Homecoming. They have not yet decided on a band, but would like to get Frank Sinatra or someone in that category. Any suggestions would be appreciated.

The money from the band sponsored by the Pan-Hellenic council and the IFC would be used toward this dance. Any other ideas about money raising projects are invited. Two, which have been suggested are a style show sponsored by a department store in town and a Powder Puff Bowl. In the Powder Puff Bowl, the girls from the freshman and senior classes would play the girls from the sophomore and junior classes in a football game. For the Style Show, students from the campus would model the clothes for class wear and holiday wear also, and the department store would receive the benefit in advertisement.

### WEEKLY CALENDAR

**Friday, Nov. 13**—Movie in the SUB, "Written on the Winds," at 7:00 p.m. Everybody invited.

**Sunday, Nov. 15**—Coffee will be served in the SUB from 2 until 4 p.m.

—Alpha Xi Delta Open House for new sorority pledges at the Alpha Xi lodge.

**Tuesday, Nov. 17**—Conglomerate's mock gubernatorial election. Everyone is urged to vote in the SUB. Polls will be open until 2:00 p.m.

**Wednesday, Nov. 18**—Zeta Tau Alpha annual Peep Show. 7:30 in the SUB.

**Thursday, Nov. 19**—Alpha Sigma Chi initiation. 7:00 p.m.

## Paper To Sponsor Governor Election

The **Conglomerate** is currently sponsoring a mock gubernatorial election. The election will take place in the Moore Student Center on Tuesday, Nov. 17 with the polls open until 2:00 p.m. Members of the newspaper staff and the Student Senate will keep the polls.

The two inner pages of this issue present the published and circulated platforms of the top six opponents in the race. The next issue will tell the results of the election.

## Top Men to Model Peep Show Styles

The "Peep Show" sponsored by Zeta Tau Alpha to be held on Wednesday, Nov. 18, in the SUB will feature some outstanding styles worn by some of the best male models on Centenary campus.

Some of the styles to be featured in this show will be a cheerleader's outfit, a ballet costume, tennis skirts, and nightgowns—both long and short—complete with nightcaps.

Also there will be a flaming orange velvet lounge coat complete with hair dyed to match.

For the latest in beach wear, there will be a chartreuse and white polka-dot bathing suit. This is just a few of the many outstanding and different styles to be shown.

Entertainment will be provided during the intermission by Genie Gibson, Nancy Evans, Lyndra Pate, Jackie Rosett and others.

All regularly enrolled students will be eligible to vote as well as all faculty and administration members. The votes of these two groups will be tallied together for the final decision of the winner, but the specific results from each group will be published.

The candidates to be run in the campus were taken from the top candidates in the Democratic Primary. Those running will be Jimmie H. Davis, Shreveport; William J. Dodd, Baton Rouge; deLesseps S. Morrison, New Orleans; James A. Noe, Monroe; and William M. Rainach, Summerfield. Running on the ticket with these candidates, respectively, will be the following lieutenant governor aspirants: C. C. "Taddy" Aycock, Franklin; William J. White, Gretna; W. George Bowdon, Alexandria; Earl K. Long, Winnfield; and Cy D. F. Courtney, New Orleans.

The winners of the Democratic primaries in the actual election will become the Democratic nominees for their respective offices and will vie with the Republican and States' Rights nominees, and any independent candidates who may qualify in the general election.

Dates involved in the state election series are: Dec. 5, 1959—first primary election; Jan. 9, 1960—second primary (run-off) election; and April 19, 1960—general election.



In sponsoring this contest, the **Conglomerate** has attempted to present the candidates in their own publicized manner. All platforms were copied verbatim from printed information distributed to the public. Any deletions are indicated. It is regretful that the platforms in their entirety could not be printed, but make-up problems prohibited this. The introductory facts about each candidate were taken from the **Voters' Guide to the Elections**, published by the Public Affairs Research Council of Louisiana, Inc. The qualifications and duties of the office of Louisiana state governor were added for your information and to serve as guideposts in the determining of your candidate choice.

The election is being run in the interest of the student body and faculty. Results will be of interest to the candidates themselves and, possibly, to other voters in the state of Louisiana. All persons are urged to participate in the election—to read the information, consider and discuss the candidates and their platforms, and to VOTE.

P. S.

## Governor Requirements

### QUALIFICATIONS FOR OFFICE:

"Candidate must be a qualified elector, 30 years old, and a citizen of the United States and Louisiana for ten years preceding the general election. He may not hold office under the United States government at the time of the general election, and may not be his own immediate successor.

### DUTIES OF OFFICE:

"The governor serves as chief executive of the state government, which will spend an estimated 120 million dollars in fiscal 1959-60 and employs approximately 40,000 persons. He holds appointive power for almost 900 positions in the executive branch. Approximately 50 other positions are held ex-officio by the governor or gubernatorial appointees.

"He may call the legislature into special session and must stipulate subjects to be considered by the session. He may approve or veto legislation, and in practice his veto is final. The governor is responsible for submitting a budget to the legislature, and may veto any item appropriated by the legislature. He may grant pardons and commute sentences for crimes against the state, upon recommendation of the state pardon board.

"The governor serves on at least 22 boards and commissions, among them the boards of highways, public welfare, institutions, registration, liquidation of state debt, and supervisors of Louisiana State University, and the state mineral and bond and tax boards. He is commander of the state's military forces."

## WILLIAM J. DODD

### WILLIAM WHITE

"William J. Dodd, state comptroller since 1956, attorney, and tree farmer; born November 25, 1909; attended public schools in Allen and Sabine Parish; A.B., Northwestern State College; LL.B., Louisiana State University; post-graduate work at LSU; oil field worker; shipping clerk; carbon black operator; football coach and high school teacher; professional baseball player; state representative from Allen Parish, 1940-1948; U.S. Army 1942-1945; lieutenant governor, 1948-1952; state civil defense director, 1950-1951; Democratic State Central Committee, 1952-1956; member, American, Louisiana and Baton Rouge Bar Associations; Phi Delta Phi legal fraternity. Present address: Baton Rouge."

### PLATFORM:

I pledge to keep and strengthen all present humanitarian programs, including old age pension, hot lunch program, charity hospitals, free ambulance service, and other vital programs for our poor and needy people.

I will maintain segregation in our public schools and will provide good school facilities for all the races on a separate, segregated basis.

I will guarantee every high school graduate an opportunity to get a college education whether he has the money to pay for it or not.

I pledge to provide for you the finest recreation program in the U.S. When elected, I will: expand state parks and playgrounds; lease lands for public shooting grounds; institute scientific game management; restock streams and lakes; provide strict enforcement of anti-pollution laws; develop public facilities for boating enthusiasts and overnight campers; extend gasoline tax exemption to operators of pleasure-fishing boats. Louisiana will then be a sportsman's paradise.

I pledge that there will be no new taxes and no increase in present taxes. Oil royalties and tidelands money will make additional taxes unnecessary.

As a former teacher and school administrator, I pledge to do the following things relative to public education: provide a dedicated source of revenue for the operation of our public school system; fully implement the pay scale provided for in Act 3 of 1956; raise the pay and better the working conditions of school bus drivers, lunch room workers, and all other school personnel; improve and continue the hot lunch program for our school children; provide state aid for hard-surfacing and maintenance of all school bus routes; continue and strengthen the public school system on a segregated basis with good facilities for both races; retain all security legislation for teachers and school personnel without weakening or change.

I pledge to enforce all laws of this state, giving to all city, parish and local officials the full co-operation of the Executive Department.

I will visit the various fairs, festivals and public gatherings of our State and keep myself available to the people and informed of their needs throughout my four years as governor.

I will blacktop school bus routes and aid police juries in every way possible with their road building and other local problems.



Miss Mary Beth Bomar is this year's Kappa Sigma Pajama Girl. Fred Willis, nightshirted fraternity president, presents Miss Bomar with the traditional pillow, emblematic of her honor. The new Pajama Girl was announced at the Kappa Sigma Pajama Party last Saturday, Nov. 7.

## Bomar Reigns As K-Sig Dream Girl

By JIM DAIGLE

The dress was pajamas, the place was the Kappa Sig house, and Saturday night's Pajama Party was so out that it was in. The Jettaires music rocked loud and long as the Sig's and their dates danced in a sleepy-time atmosphere.

Everyone, of course, stood around laughing at how silly everyone else looked. Mirrors were kept out of sight, however, and no one had his or her pride hurt. The Silly-Billy prize went to Wu Fong Gilmer who came as a Chinese Bandit dressed for bed, make-up and all. Many L.S.U. fans had black arm bands on as a commemoration of the Tigers' defeat to Tennessee.

Chaperons Dean and Mrs. Allen were also attired in pajamas.

Mary Beth Bomar won the annual Dream Girl contest and was given a pillow embroidered with her name and the fraternity crest.

The hits of the evening were George Acton, Betty Blewer, Hoyt Bain, and Ann McClure who received a round of applause for velvet night caps, blue night gowns, red leotards and red slippers. Huh! George couldn't keep his dress down.

Everyone had a wonderful time and after the party many couples went to the Rubaiyat Coffee House. One customer was overheard saying, "Let's not come here again, the people are so strange."

## Letters . . .

Dear Editor:

My concern for the concern of Leslie Burris (Letters to the Editor, Nov. 6, 1959) for the welfare of the students prompts me to wish that each and every student, ROTC or otherwise, with a hole in his head could be screened out of admission to the Centenary College of Louisiana for the welfare of the college. Furthermore, we have recovered sufficiently from the gratuitous identification of the ROTC with the congenitally dismembered member to offer to join with the authorities of the college in whatever manner fit.

Pax vobiscum,  
Robert S. Scott

## DeLesseps S. Morrison W. GEORGE BOWDON

"deLesseps S. Morrison, mayor of New Orleans since 1946; born January 18, 1912; completed public school in New Roads; A.B., LL.B., Louisiana State University; private law practice 1935-1941; part-time assistant to National Recovery Act Litigation Division, 1935; U.S. Army, 1941-1946; state representative, 12th ward, New Orleans, 1940-1946; Brig. General, U.S. Army Reserve; Commanding Officer, 377th Transportation Terminal Command; past president, American and Inter-American Municipal Associations; past president, Reserve Officers Association of the U.S.; member, Board of Directors of American Council to Improve Our Neighborhoods; winner of La Guardia Award, 1953; outstanding southern mayor, 1957; outstanding Louisiana mayor, 1957; one of Fortune magazine's outstanding mayors, 1957. Present address: New Orleans."

### PLATFORM:

**LEADERSHIP - STABILITY - RESPONSIBILITY:** . . . We will restore the conduct of your public affairs to a place of stability, responsibility and dignity . . .

**TAXATION:** I make a solemn pledge that there will be no new taxes and no tax increases during my term as Governor . . .

**SEGREGATION - RACE RELATIONS:** I will use all of the powers of the Governor's office to maintain segregation in Louisiana . . .

**INDUSTRY - NEW PLANTS:** Efforts will be exerted to assist small business . . .

**PENSIONS - WELFARE:** Old Age Pension and Welfare benefits will be maintained without increase in taxes.

**EDUCATION - TEACHERS' PAY:** We pledge our support of: continued school segregation; pay the full salary schedule for teachers, bus drivers and other school employees as approved by the 1956 Legislature; free school lunch program for all needy children.

**HIGHER EDUCATION:** . . . We pledge to: establish a State Student Loan Fund . . . ; attention will be given to the vocational and trade schools and training of the deaf, blind and physically disabled . . . ; support for the continued progress of State-supported colleges.

**OIL - GAS - MINERAL RESOURCES:** . . . We will work for the creation of a sound and fair governmental and business climate for the continued development and production of natural resources . . .

**HOSPITALS - MENTAL HEALTH:** Hospitals and institutions of Louisiana will be improved to provide fuller, more adequate treatments.

**COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT:** An important new program will be established to make available planning and technical assistance in the development of local community programs . . .

**AGRICULTURE:** We will initiate an all-out, aggressive plan to boost Louisiana's agricultural products . . .

**HIGHWAYS, ROADS AND BRIDGES:** . . . We pledge to build a first-class highway system throughout Louisiana . . .

**HOME RULE:** . . . As a long time fighter for the principle of Home Rule for parishes and towns of Louisiana, I pledge to maintain their right to administer their own affairs.

**LAW ENFORCEMENT:** . . . I will uphold and support enforcement of State Laws . . .

**RECREATION:** . . . We plan the establishment of an outstanding recreation program . . . programs for youth and adult recreation . . .

**TOURISM:** . . . We are determined to establish an intensive promotional and advertising campaign which will multiply our tourist trade many times . . .

**FISHERIES - WILDLIFE:** Strengthened management and conservation of . . . will support the Commission form of Wildlife management . . .

**PARISH - MUNICIPAL COOPERATION:** . . . Will work with local political and civic leadership in a cooperative program to assist in all parishes . . .

**DRAINAGE-WATER CONSERVATION:** Proper development and use of the State's unmatched water resources is a must . . .

**PENAL REFORM:** An improved rehabilitation program will be put in penal institutions . . .

**LEGISLATIVE COOPERATION:** . . . I will respect the independence, dignity and responsibility of the Legislature as the direct representative of the people . . .

**IMPROVED MANAGEMENT:** . . . Pledge to work for the elimination of waste and reduction of overlapping or duplicating agencies and services . . .

**BUDGETING:** Improved budget practices . . . installed and . . . fully supported . . .

**PUBLICATION OF REPORTS:** . . . Periodic public reporting of the State's fiscal affairs and operations . . .

**LABOR - MANAGEMENT RELATIONS:** . . . Maintain an impartial, independent and objective attitude in all Labor-Management matters and problems . . .

**CIVIL SERVICE:** . . . Support of Constitutional Civil Service and maintenance of a good merit system is pledged . . .

**PORTS - WATERWAYS DEVELOPMENT:** . . . Cooperation and help without political interference will be provided to the ports and harbors . . .

**RETARDED - HANDICAPPED CHILDREN:** . . . Will receive more sympathetic attention and help . . .

**VETERANS:** The Department of Veterans Affairs will be taken out of politics . . .

**FORESTRY:** Fuller development and expansion of Louisiana's timber and wood products resources . . .

**NATIONAL DEFENSE - CIVIL DEFENSE:** . . . We will work forcefully to persuade the Department of National Defense and Army on re-activating Fort Polk . . . support is pledged for a strong Statewide Civil Defense program . . .



## JIMMIE H. DAVIS

C. C. AYCOCK

"Jimmie H. Davis, businessman, cattleman, farmer, tree farmer; completed public schools in Jonesboro; B.A., Louisiana College; M.A., Louisiana State University; farmer; teacher in grammar school, high school, and college; Shreveport city court clerk, 1929-1938; Shreveport police and fire commissioner, 1938-1942; public service commissioner, 3rd district, 1942-1944; governor of Louisiana, 1944-1948. Present address: Shreveport."

### PLATFORM:

No new taxes  
Enforcement of state laws  
Implementation of teachers' pay  
Maintain segregation  
Increase highway construction  
Attract new industries  
Increase old age benefits and include medical aid  
Continue and improve hot lunch program  
Promotion of agriculture  
Public hunting and fishing grounds  
Special attention to institutions  
Support of hospitals  
Maintain civil service  
Program for retarded children  
Peace, harmony and progress

## WILLIAM M. RAINACH

CY D. F. COURTNEY

"William M. Rainach, state senator; tree farmer; cattleman; president of a butane company; born July 31, 1913; completed public schools in Claiborne Parish; attended Southern State College in Arkansas, George Washington University, Washington, D.C., and Louisiana State University; organized and was first manager of rural electric co-operative; independent lease broker for oil and gas leases; state representative, 1940-1948; state senator, 1948 to present; member of legislative council, 1952-1956; chairman, Joint Legislative Committee on Segregation, 1954 to present; vice-chairman, senate finance committee; Farm Bureau; Louisiana Forestry Association; Citizens' Councils. Present address: Summerfield."

### PLATFORM:

**RESPONSIBILITY IN STATE GOVERNMENT**—I will restore honesty, dignity and responsibility to our State government.

**TAXES AND FISCAL MANAGEMENT**—I will actively oppose any raise in taxes and will reduce the cost of state government through honest and efficient administration of state fiscal affairs and consolidation of state agencies.

**INDUSTRIAL EXPANSION**—I will encourage all forms of industry to locate and expand in Louisiana.

**STATES' RIGHTS AND SEGREGATION**—I am unequivocally for States' Rights and segregation of the races and will interpose the sovereignty of the state to maintain them.

**NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY**—I believe that the Louisiana Democratic Party belongs to the people of Louisiana, not to the radical leaders of the Democratic National Committee, and I will insist on the right to name our own officers and support only candidates who represent the views of Louisiana.

**LABOR**—I have always fought for the individual rights and advancement of the laboring people of Louisiana. I will protect the rights of the individual worker to organize and bargain collectively. I will do my utmost to eliminate racketeering and the abuse of power by union officials. I will support legislation outlawing secondary boycotts and blackmail picketing and punishing the use of violence or threat of violence by either side in labor disputes.

**EDUCATION**—I have always believed that education is the key to progress in our State. I will therefore insist upon the improvement and expansion of our grade schools, high schools, special schools and colleges. I will work to provide a stable and continuing source of funds for teacher salaries and all other educational requirements.

**AGRICULTURE**—I will institute a vigorous program for the fullest development of our basic industry, agriculture, and forestry.

**PORTS AND HIGHWAYS**—I will give full support to the development of our great ports and to continuation and expansion of our State Highway system.

**OLD AGE ASSISTANCE**—I will not only strongly support our old age assistance program, but I will work to reduce the growing diversion of welfare funds from old age payments to the support of immoral parents of illegitimate children.

**HOSPITALS AND INSTITUTIONS**—I believe that our State hospitals and institutions—medical, mental and correctional—should be administered and operated on an economical, humane basis and specialized institutional facilities should be provided for alcoholics and narcotic victims.

**WILDLIFE AND FISHERIES**—I will support a vigorous and expanded wildlife and fisheries program.

**CIVIL DEFENSE**—I advocate a strong state-wide Civil Defense organization working with local governing bodies for the protection of our people during times of emergency.

**LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT**—I believe in home rule with local responsibility.

### CHI O DANCE

The Chi Omega pledge class is inviting the entire student body to an informal dance to be held in the Moore Student Center Saturday, Nov. 21. The Thanksgiving Dance will begin at 8:30 p.m. and there is no charge for admission.

## College Choir Will Present Concerts

The Centenary College Choir will present a concert at 7 p. m. Wednesday night, Nov. 18, for the "Family Night" program at First Methodist Church.

Immediately following the 45-minute performance, the choir will sing at the Centenary College appreciation banquet at the Washington-Youree Hotel. This banquet will honor people who helped in the recent fund-raising drive conducted by the college.

The choir, under the direction of Dr. A. C. Voran, opened their fall season with the traditional "Rhapsody in View" on Nov. 3 and 4. The 13-week television series of the choir will begin on Sunday, Nov. 29. The weekly program, sponsored by Southwestern Electric Power Company, will be on station KSLA-TV, Channel 12, at 4 p. m. every Sunday.

### ATTENTION!

Last minute make-up difficulties necessitated extreme deletions from the candidates' platforms. Decisions for these omissions were considered carefully to avoid change of meaning or intent of the passages. The *Conglomerate* herewith apologizes to both the campus and the candidates for these deletions: they were unavoidable. Indications of all deletions were not possible in all cases. P. S.

## Pep Club Prepares For Busy Schedule

The Pep Club, sponsored by Mrs. "Nick," has mapped out a busy schedule for the coming month. The girls will be aiding the Gents' Club by selling memberships, and they will be selling tickets to the barbecue supper which is to follow the Freshman-Varsity game. The proceeds of this supper will be used to finance Pep Club activities. The first appearance of the Pep Club is scheduled for the Rice game in Houston. The girls will travel by chartered bus. To earn money for this trip, the club will be selling pop corn and cookies in the SUB on Friday evenings.

The drill team, a division of the Pep Club, has chosen the name of Centenary Centettes. To the regular Pep Club uniform of maroon skirt and white sweater will be added an arm badge to designate the Centettes. The group will march at the first home game on Dec. 10.

### GREAT ISSUES

All Seniors should note that the course "Great Issues" will not be offered during the Summer term 1960.

Therefore, all Seniors planning to graduate during 1960 should take the course in the Spring Semester 1959-60, when it will be offered on Wednesday night, 7 to 10.

Anyone who anticipates conflicts or other difficulties should consult the Registrar at once.

## JAMES A. NOE

EARL K. LONG

"James A. Noe, engaged in oil and natural gas business in Arkansas, Louisiana, and Texas; owner and operator of radio and television stations, New Orleans and Monroe; born Dec. 21, 1891; attended public schools; president pro-tempore of Louisiana senate, 1932; lieutenant governor of Louisiana, 1935-1936; governor of Louisiana, January to May, 1936; state senator, 1936-1940; national Democratic committeeman from Louisiana; Louisiana Hereford Breeders Association; American Legion; V.F.W.; Disabled American Veterans. Present address: Monroe."

### PLATFORM:

**WE HELP THE AGED:** . . . We advocate and feel that we will be able to give a reasonable additional increase in the old age pension.

**WE HELP OUR YOUNG PEOPLE:** . . . We pledge to continue to work for improvement in our school system . . .

**WE BUILD ROADS AND BRIDGES:** . . . We will continue to build more roads and bridges, and improve existing highways.

**WE BUILD HOSPITALS:** . . . We pledge to keep our charity hospitals operating, to modernize and expand those in need of improvements . . .

**WE HELP THOSE WHO CAN'T HELP THEMSELVES:** . . . We will provide financial assistance for handicapped children . . .

**WE SECURE INDUSTRIES:** . . . We will diligently encourage further industrial development by providing facts and technical assistance . . .

**WE HELP BUSINESS:** . . . We will support any and all worthwhile programs to encourage and assist the businessmen and women . . .

**WE HELP THE FARMER:** . . . We will promote and assist in every reasonable way better farming and farming methods . . .

**WE HELP THE WORKING MAN:** . . . We will always stand for fairness and justice . . .

**WE HELP THE TEACHERS:** . . . We want first-class teachers, not only in the cities, but in the rural sections of our State . . .

**WE HELP THE FISHERMEN AND TRAPPERS:** . . . We pledge to continue the hyacinth control program, the tax exemption on gasoline used for boats, and control of water pollution . . .

**WE HELP THE VETERANS:** . . . We shall continue to assist veterans.

**WE HELP THE HOME OWNER:** . . . We will continue to be a friend of the home owner . . .

**WE HELP THE LAND OWNER:** . . . We will continue, and expand wherever possible, good conservation practices . . .

**WE ENFORCE STATE LAWS:** . . . We will not permit gambling and racketeering anywhere in Louisiana . . .

**WE HELP EDUCATION:** . . . We will continue to work to improve our secondary school system . . .

**WE BUILD RECREATION FACILITIES:** . . . We will provide more improvements in our parks, more and better camping facilities . . .

**WE DO NOT CREATE BONDED DEBT:** . . .

**WE SHARE THE TAX LOAD:** . . . We do not want to increase taxes and we won't unless absolutely necessary . . .

**WE FAVOR SEGREGATION:** . . .

**WOMEN IN GOVERNMENT:** . . . We will continue to solicit counsel and assistance of women throughout the state . . .

**WE WILL SAVE TAXPAYERS MONEY:** . . .

**WE'LL CORRECT MENTAL LAWS:** . . .

**WE PROPOSE FAIR COMMISSION:** . . .

**WE PROMOTE TOURISM:** . . .

**WE HELP THE SPORTSMEN:** . . . We will enlarge and expand the wildlife and fisheries program . . .

**WE REDUCE HIGHWAY FATALITIES:** . . .

## SPORTS SPOTLIGHT

By RICK BIGGS

An old Chinese proverb tells the tale of a man who had just one talent given him. This was the talent to husk rice. Although to those who knew him this seemed to be rather small and insignificant, to the man this talent was immense for it was all that he knew how to do. He worked hard to develop his ability to husk rice. He would spend hours every day working in his own crude mill, husking, thinking how to do a better job, trying his ideas and improving himself. His family helped him in his task by encouraging him when he thought and tried something new, by comforting him when his ideas failed, and even more important, by giving him their unhesitating good will and support. With the help of his family the man prospered and in time brought fame to his family and honor to himself. After a time he was known throughout the entire country for his ability to husk rice better than anyone else.

Centenary is a relatively small college which has one main sport, basketball. Like the man in the proverb, this may indeed seem small to our big neighbors, such as the recently de-fanged Tigers, but since it is our only main inter-collegiate competitive sport, to us it should seem rather prominent.

The team has begun working and practicing, trying new ideas and improving its ability for hours every day while most of the rest of us play bridge, ping-pong or seek out friends in the Christian Union Building. We, the student body are, so to speak, the family of the team. They deserve our support and encouragement.

Start thinking about our first home game on December 10. Talk it up, plan to attend the game as well as the pep rallies before it. Do not hesitate to contribute any ideas you may have to the players, cheerleaders, or CONGLOMERATE. Like get in, man, get in.





Nancy Evans, freshman; Tommy Hadley, senior; Linda Rosett, junior; and Mike Ramming, sophomore, are toasting marshmallows in an open brick fireplace. The personalities retreated from the coldness outside, to enjoy some friendly fireside fellowship.

### Personalities

## Unusual Hobbies Vary

By DOLLIE MILLER

"My tongue is hanging out," claims Linda Rosett, junior. And with good reason. Linda has been a student at Centenary for less than a year and already has poked a finger in more pies than most four year students. She was recently elected sponsor of the Pershing Rifles, serves as treasurer of her sorority, Zeta Tau Alpha ("those books keep me busier than anything else, but I like it," she admits), is chairman of the bulletin board, is in intra-murals, a member of the Choir where she serves on the T-V committee. She also sings in her church choir.

Linda's interests are varied. "I guess my favorite interests are music and art," she states. She is one of those rare persons who boasts of perfect pitch, which aids her immensely in her music. She also extends her interests to the out-of-doors and likes nothing better than to go prowling through woods, horseback riding, and planting flowers. "I think my neighbors think I'm crazy," she says. "I get up at the crack of dawn and go wandering around my yard like a crazy person checking my rose bushes."

### LOUNGING HADLEY

Tommy Hadley, senior, is a psychology major and a member of Kappa Alpha fraternity. He spent one year at Texas A. & M. before transferring to Centenary his sophomore year.

Last summer Tommy vacationed at the University of Colorado where he spent the entire time "lounging around." He liked it so much that he plans to go there next year for graduate work. He now works after school hours at Selber Brothers. He lists congeniality and versatility as favorite personality traits.

### UNUSUAL HOBBIES

"I like to get up early in the morning and watch the sunrise. In the summer at that time of the

morning, I like to go out to Cross Lake and paint the boats. I also like to sit on a little stool in my closet and beat bongo drums, but that's kind of hard since I don't have any bongos, so I use a nail keg with skin stretched across it. Sometimes I plant castor beans outside of my window to watch them grow, and then I squeeze the oil out of them. But the things I like to do most are sing and paint."

These rather unusual occupations are trade marks of freshman Nancy Evans. Nancy has already left other marks on the Centenary campus which will not soon be forgotten. She was recently elected cheerleader for this year's sports events. Nancy is well qualified for this job as she served last year as cheerleader at Byrd high school here in Shreveport, and attended cheerleader school two summers ago. She also finds time to act as vice-president of the Zeta Tau Alpha pledge class, and to participate in the intramurals program.

Last summer Nancy worked at Texas Eastern in Shreveport and then vacationed at her uncle's in

Chicago. "All of this keeps me pretty busy," she states.

### LOVES BASKETBALL

"I guess about the only thing I have time for is basketball," says Mike Ramming, sophomore. "We practice three hours a day, six days a week." Mike came to Centenary from Webster Groves, Missouri. "I liked the coach and I liked the country—so I stayed," he states. He also finds time for tennis and swimming.

Known to his friends as "Ramrod," Mike is currently majoring in Health and Physical Education. "I like mostly to work with youngsters," he says. Last summer he coached a basketball team at New York Military Academy in Cornwall, New York.

"I guess what I dislike most is a 'put-on' person," says Mike. "You might say that's my biggest pet peeve."

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## 'ROUND BIG CENTENARY

What is this new word, Geek?? What's the meaning of it? Jill Landis and Judy Hughes seem to be the instigators of it. Tell us the origin of it!

Mary Beth Bomar was announced as the Kappa Sigma Pajama Girl of 1959 at the Sig Pajama Party last Saturday night. She was given a duty??? before she could accept the title. Barbara Arline, Jeri Cassady, Gary Reeves, and Coan Knight were a few of those seen relaxing in their mode of dress!

Wayne Stoddard and Dave White have been seen doing odd jobs lately. Tree pruners to be exact!

Congratulations to the newly elected cheerleaders: Rick Biggs, Bill Bolen, Nancy Evans, Becky Graham, Dan Herndon, and Jen Houchin!

INFORMED SOURCES tell us that Odie Reynolds discovered the fire in the Moore Student Center Saturday night.

Hey, Don Meisner, are you importing them from the Crescent City now?

We wish that someone informed would clue Furman Barnes in as to which floor contains which!

Out-of-town trip-goers last weekend were Margie Dukes and Betsy Gould, who traveled to New Orleans and Chance Wayne, who watched the L.S.U. Tigers play in Knoxville.

Others seen lately of great importance are Theo Klemann and George Acton. We don't know where they've been seen though!

Some of those grieved over the L.S.U.-Tennessee game last weekend consist of those Tiger-lovers George Gilmer, Jack Green, and Martha Ann Brown. Others glad of the victory of Tennessee are Diane Camp, Butchie McCuiston, and others.

INFORMED SOURCES were wrong when they thought that Pennsylvanians didn't wear levis ... right, Ferrari?

A CURIOUS SOURCE, Gassen,

would like to ask GAIL GRANGER and Roxie Lewis exactly what did happen to Kay Cooper's refreshments.

Sara Hitchcock and Jay Lang want everyone to know that they are going to L.S.U. this weekend.

### Group Inspects Pershing Rifles

The Pershing Rifles National Honorary Military Society was inspected by a group from the Headquarters of the Sixth Regiment of Pershing Rifles, located at Louisiana State University last week. Arriving Friday were Cadet Major Robert Coady, CWO, Arch Richard, and Pledge Phil Witherspoon. The inspection team inspected the file of the company and then held an informal conference with the staff of Company O-6. On Saturday afternoon, Sixth Regiment's Executive Officer, Cadet Major Ken Herbert, along with Cadet Major Frank Kean arrived for more conferences with O-6's commander, Cadet Captain Winston Miller.

The company has recently earned over \$500.00 working at the Louisiana State Fair and at local football games. The unit will use the money for its future trips. The next parades the unit will march in are the Marshall Christmas Parade in Marshall, Texas, and the Natchitoches Christmas Parade.

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## Groups, Floats In Downtown Parade Boost Gents' Club

A downtown parade Tuesday, Nov. 17, complete with convertibles, floats, basketball players, the marching unit of the pep squad, cheerleaders, Centenary band, a Dixieland combo, ROTC marching units, was led by Mayor Clyde Fant, Mayor Cameron, Earl Downs and the officers of the Gents Club. This parade was probably the biggest demonstration of its kind since Centenary dropped football.

The purpose behind the parade was to recruit workers for the Gents Club.

Officers of the Gents Club are: J. B. Atkins, Jr., president; Irving Selber, vice president; Bob Seal, vice president; James Patterson, secretary-treasurer; James J. Serra, membership chairman; and Bob DuVall, hospitality room chairman. In spite of repeated explanations, the impression is hard to dispel that the Gents Club is intended for former Centenary athletes, or at least alumni, but this is not the case. Naturally a lot of ex-Gent athletes are in evidence, but they're bolstered by many men with other allegiances, whose chief interest is to help promote better athletics in Shreveport, and who are willing to do something about it.

Since most of the hard-working boosters behind the Gents Club aren't former Centenary athletes, or even alumni, it is suggested that the present Centenary students invite their parents to buy membership cards. These cards will entitle us to give more scholarships to deserving basketball players and cost only ten dollars.

## Pre-Med Students Visit Dermatologist

Four members of Alpha Epsilon Delta, the honorary pre-medical society, and two advisors, visited the office of a prominent dermatologist last Thursday, November 12.

Charles Byrd, Carlton Chambers, Sally Ward, and Sandra Whitlock, along with advisors, Dr. Mary Warters and Dr. Richard K. Spears, visited the office of Dr. Ollie Williams at the P & S Hospital. Dr. Williams, a graduate of Centenary College and Tulane Medical School, showed the group a set of slides which represented the most common ailments the dermatologist encounters.

### TRIP RESERVATIONS

Bus reservations for the trip to Rice on Dec. 5 can be made in the SUB during the breaks. Have the full fare, \$7.80 to secure your place to see the Gents pluck the Owls' feathers. Sponsored non-profit by the Cheerleaders.



Exhibiting square dancing for the Alpha Xi Delta Farm Derby are Martha Kelley, Don Squires, Ryan Horton and Jean Durham. Everyone is urged to participate in the festivities and contests.

## Morrison Wins Election

deLesseps S. Morrison was the leading candidate in the **Conglomerate** straw poll for governor. The mock election was held Tuesday, Nov. 17, in the Moore Student Center, with 225 votes cast in the balloting.

Morrison won with 47 per cent of the voting campus' ballots. His mock lieutenant-governor is W. George Bowdon. Other voting statistics follow: Jimmie H. Davis with 38 votes; William M. Rainach with 33 votes; Courtney were third with 33 votes; William J. Dodd with 12 votes and James A. Noe with 9 votes.

Earl K. Long rounded out the ballot with 9 votes.

The mock election was sponsored in the interest of the student body and the faculty. The paper originally planned to tally student and faculty votes separately as a comparison, but faculty participation was so limited that this was impossible.

Mr. Morrison, mock-governor-elect, has an active past record. He has served as mayor of New Orleans since 1946. After receiving the degrees of AB and LLB from Louisiana State University, he went into private law practice in 1935 and continued until 1941. He was part-time assistant to National Recovery Act Litigation Division, 1935; served in the U.S. Army from 1941 to 1946; was state representative from 1940 to 1946; was Brig. General in the U.S. Army Reserve, Commanding Officer, 377th Transportation Terminal Command; past president of the American and Inter-American Municipal Associations, past president of the Reserve Officers Association of the U. S., and member of the Board of Directors of American

Council to Improve Our Neighborhoods.

He won the La Guardia Award in 1953 and was selected outstanding southern mayor, 1957; outstanding Louisiana mayor, 1957.

## Dr. Cooke Speaks At District Events

Dr. R. Leonard Cooke, vice-president of Centenary, was one of the speakers at district conferences of the Methodist Church, Monday, Nov. 16 through Friday, Nov. 20. He gave a report on the progress and the goals of Centenary at each of the district events.

Dr. Cooke spoke Monday at the Monroe district conference in Vidalia; the Rev. George Harbuck, former pastor of the Broadmoor Methodist Church, is district superintendent of the Monroe district. Tuesday he spoke at the Alexandria district conference in the Trinity Methodist Church there, and the Ruston district event in the Jonesboro Methodist Church. The Rev. A. W. Townsend and the Rev. Luman Douglas are superintendents of the Alexandria and Ruston districts, respectively.

On Wednesday, Dr. Cooke spoke at the Shreveport district conference in the Broadmoor church. Thursday, he addressed the Lafayette and Baton Rouge district conferences, held respectively at the First Church in Franklin and the First Church in Franklinton. The Rev. R. R. Branton is superintendent of the Lafayette district.

Today, Dr. Cooke will speak at the Lake Charles district conference at the First Church in DeQuincy.

## World Periodical Publishes Works By Dr. Warters

"The Centromeres of *Drosophila*", an article co-authored by Dr. Mary Warters, head of the biology department, appears in the current edition of "Genetica," a publication printed in the Hague, The Netherlands, and circulated on a world-wide basis. The article is the result of Dr. Warters' scientific research and is co-authored by Dr. A. B. Griffin, on the research staff of the Jackson Memorial Laboratory in Bar Harbor, Maine. Only articles considered outstanding contributions to the field of scientific research and literature are selected for printing in the publication.

Work on the project was initiated in 1950 under a grant-in-aid which Dr. Warters received from the Carnegie Foundation. Dr. Griffin held a similar grant from the American Cancer Society and, at the time, held the position of head of the department of genetics at the University of Missouri.

Illustrated with drawings and photographs, the article deals with a structure found in chromosomes of all animals, but generally invisible. The giant chromosomes of the *drosophila* (fruit fly) proved to be favorable material for the study, and several different species of *drosophila* were used in the project. The study is primarily concerned with the structure and behavior of the centromeres, or that part of the chromosome which attaches it to the spindle fibers in the process of cell division.

A number of scientific publications have mentioned her work favorably as having made an important contribution to existing knowledge in the field of cytogenetics.

## Sorority Schedules Traditional Derby

Alpha Xi Delta reminds everyone on campus of the Farm Derby in the Student Union Building tonight, beginning at 7:30. The evening events will run something like this:

7:45-8:45 Square dancing, called by Dr. Rice. If you don't know how to square dance, come and learn.

9:00 Contests galore: sack races, three-legged races, hog-calling contests, and the highlight of the evening, the faculty pie-eating contest.

9:30-10:30 Program, followed by social dancing.

Refreshments will be served and a door prize will be presented.

### WEEKLY CALENDAR

**Friday, Nov. 20**—Alpha Xi Delta Farm Derby. Everyone invited.

**Saturday, Nov. 21**—Chi Omega Dance in the SUB at 8:00 p.m. Open to the campus—everyone invited!! Band and refreshments.

**Sunday, Nov. 22**—Open house in the SUB. Coffee served from 2 to 4.

**Wednesday, Nov. 25**—Thanksgiving holidays begin!!



## IN AND OUT

With Chance Wayne

This is National Knock Advertising Week. Advertising, like almost anything that makes people do crazy things, is OUT. But Madison Avenue is IN, despite everything. Official pronouncements have it that it's IN to wear your Gray Flannel Suit to Sunday dinner (we always thought it was lunch), but we'd like some time to think about it—maybe a year or two. To be real Liberal Artsy, wear tennis shoes too. Being straightforward is IN, especially if you have a reputation for subtlety.

I smoke Viceroy's because everyone else does. If I were a thinking man, I'd smoke marijuana. Billboards and Billdodds are OUT. "Pillow Talk" is IN. Do-it-yourself kits are OUT. Christmas decorations three weeks before Thanksgiving are OUT. If the trend continues, Christmas decorations themselves will soon be OUT, which would destroy a major part of the American economy.

Hot tip on the market: Revlon stock is OUT. The word "garment" for men's clothing is OUT. Shelly Berman is IN. It's what's up front that counts, madam. *Catcher in the Rye* is IN, but reading it in public is OUT. The bookstore is IN, thanks to Mrs. Clark. Pantomimes are OUT. Comic books are OUT. Hustling your own date at a party is OUT. Even with holes, French bread is IN. Do I hear some of you thinking, "That's only when we have guests for dinner." Then you're OUT.

Staying up late is IN. Staying up all night is OUT. Thick rugs are IN. Corduroy suits are IN. Big, bad pledges seem to be IN, from all reports, but they'd better watch their step. It's too early to tell, but cha-cha seems to be coming back IN. Arthur Murray cha-cha is OUT. Talking about how the Edsel is a sex symbol is OUT.

Deodorant ads are OUT. Participation is IN, but being gung-ho is OUT. Whoever figures out how to make Instant Espresso will make a lot of money, but he'll be IN. "Autumn in New York" and "Misty" are IN. Jack Paar is IN. Uncle Charlie Weaver is IN, especially when he's on the way to being out of it.

Avoiding Things is IN, if they're OUT things. This week be on the lookout for:

1. "Banned in Boston" labels.
2. "Completely unrehearsed" shows.
3. "For adults only" slogans.
4. "Recommended by Duncan Hines" signs.
5. "Property of Certainly High School" stencils.
6. People who HAVE to check ID cards.
7. New KEEL contests.
8. Instant espresso.
9. Instant anything's.
10. New waitresses in Murrell's.

"IN" Thought For The Week: It's a great life if you weaken enough to enjoy it.

## Election Reviews

After the straw election Tuesday, a poll was taken among the students to find their reasons for voting the way they did.

**Coan Knight, Senior:** "I voted for Morrison because he's young and on the ball, he can really just get down and fight for Louisiana. He made more definite assertions in his platform than any other candidate. I think he's also young in Louisiana politics."

**Kathie Mack, Senior:** "Noe and Long. Even though the government was corrupt, they got a lot of things done for the state, and they got Louisiana on the map."

**Margaret and Elizabeth Reeves, Sophomores:** "We voted for Jimmy Davis because he won't do anything against the state. With him in office, the legislature will run the government and that's what we need to clear up this friction in the government."

**Talley Pledger, Junior:** "I voted for Morrison mainly because of his record in New Orleans. I think it's quite outstanding, and from what I've heard of the others, I don't think they can quite compare."

**Jule Ann Young, Freshman:** "Jimmy Davis because I don't believe in the ideas on which the others based their platform."

**Ann Morrisett, Junior:** "I voted for Morrison because I thought he was the best one running. He seems the least corrupt. Technically, I didn't like Rainach's program."

**Kay Kinard, Senior:** "There's nobody in the state fit to vote for. Everybody running in this state is a narrow-minded bigot who isn't fit to run."

**Carolyn Denison, Freshman:** "I voted for Jimmy Davis because I felt he was the lesser of the three evils!"

**David Calhoun, Junior:** "Morrison. He has been able to do things for New Orleans. He seems to know what's he's doing and why. Others seem to be hounding on the emotions of the people to get results. Morrison seems best qualified, others seem to be running for position rather than for what they can do for the state."

**Editor's Note:** I want to thank the student body for their participation and interest in the election. I was disappointed with the faculty and administration participation, but as a whole, the balloting was successful.  
—P. S.

### WHO'S WHO

New members of Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities will be announced in assembly Tuesday, Nov. 24, during the free period. Mr. Leslie Burris, English

instructor, will speak. The chapel is not compulsory, but everyone, especially juniors and seniors, is urged to attend. The names of the new members will be withheld until the assembly.

## Bookstore

By KATHY MACK

A perusal of the shelves and tables in the college bookstore causes me to think "all that glitters is not gold," for there one may see a glittering array of books not found in any bookstore, ranging from the "Outline Series" of courses to J. O. Salinger's "The Catcher in the Rye." Besides featuring "books to help you pass," there are novels to entertain and delight you. Of particular note is the fine collection of Modern Library editions. Moreover, there is an assortment of biographies and criticisms of such authors as Joyce, Yeats, Chaucer, and Milton, to give you that little jewel of extra knowledge of the author and what he is trying to do.

### EXCELLENT COMPILATIONS

"New World Writing" is an excellent compilation of unknown writers who, up to now, have neither a name italicized with awe nor stigmatized by notoriety. The bookstore's support of this gem will not die with the death of it in paperback; rather, I hope that it will be still on hand in its new hardback form.

A new feature of the bookstore, and of the publishers, this year is a compilation of modern essays on such writers as Chaucer and Shakespeare. For the first time articles from the "PMLA," the "MLN," and other literary magazines are being collected. I do not think that the value of such a collection can be overlooked.

### ART COLLECTIONS

Something that may be hard on your pocketbook is a collection of those little books on the art of Goya, Gauguin, Matisse, and others, which include many reproductions of their works. With such exhibits in our Student Center as the one last year from the Smithsonian Institute and today's exhibit of Gabor Peterdi, it is a crime that too few people pass such works by with a comment such as "Isn't that dog hysterical!"

Such a fine assortment of books need not be overlooked, and should not be, by students who have hopes of owning their own library. A little taste and careful selection now will be of minimal cost now and of much value in the future.

### CHI O DANCE

Chi Omega pledges' Thanksgiving Dance will be held Saturday night, Nov. 21, from 8:30 until 11:30 in the Moore Student Center. All Centenary students and faculty members are invited.

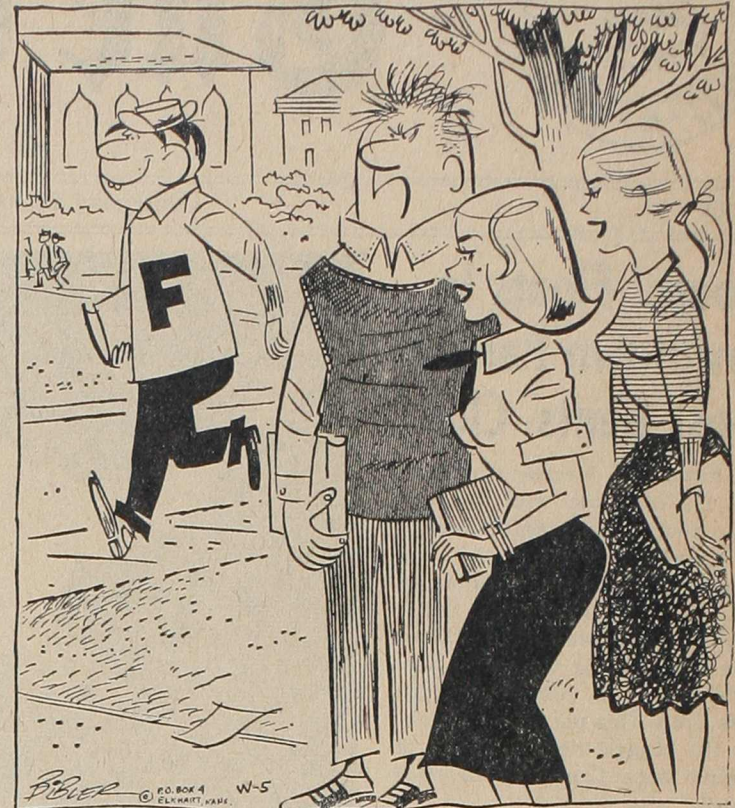
The Rhythm Lads will play and there will be entertainment by Centenary students during the intermission. Cokes will be served during the evening.

A Thanksgiving basket will be at the door for those who would like to donate food for a needy family.

### LOST AND FOUND

A lost and found center is located in the Moore Student Center, downstairs next door to Mrs. Nick's office. For any articles lost or found, please check with Mrs. Nick.

## LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



"NAW, THAT ISN'T HIS LETTER SWEATER — THAT'S HIS GRADE AVERAGE."

## Thankful Thanksgiving

Many, many persons continually express their feelings about the Thanksgiving season. After so many Thanksgivings, these essays all seem to say the same thing, and are considered trite by many readers. Although the words may be trite, the meaning behind them never grows stale.

The American national holiday of Thanksgiving is fast approaching. For most college students, it means the first homecoming since the beginning of the fall term and joyous reunions with old friends. Many forget the true meaning of the holiday in their own exuberance and hurried good times. While spending our fun-filled holidays, we should be more thankful than any other young people in the world today.

We all have the advantage of being in America—being here to live as we want. We hold our own beliefs and behave according to our ideals. We set our goals and are allowed to strive for their realization. We have the opportunity to attend a Christian college and associate with learned peoples. Excellent opportunities and facilities are ours. We live, we love, we learn.

During this holiday time—between visits with family and friends, between shopping trips, between turkey dinners and parties—or better yet, as a constant undercurrent of thought—remember all that you as an individual and a member of society have to be thankful for. Take time to give thanks!

—P. S.

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The Conglomerate extends best wishes to the student body and faculty for a happy and safe and thankful holiday.



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"Gobble, gobble," pleads the Keep-Happy turkey, as personalities prepare to dismember their entree. Janet Gholson, senior, is ready to chop off the turkey's head, while Spray Peoples, junior, holds him steady. Watching, hungrily, are Janet Havelka, sophomore, and Martin Agnally, freshman.

## ROUND BIG CENTENARY

Seen sipping punch and eating cookies at the Alpha Xi House Sunday afternoon were the pledges of the local sororities. A few of those participating in the affair were **Patsi West, Laverne Burks, Betty Turner, and Charlotte Stodghill.**

**Jim** (AW .001) **Durham** visited the local campus over the past week.

Congratulations to **Linda Rosett**, the newly elected Pershing Rifles Sponsor.

Concerning elections—Chap-stick **Gilmer** is in favor of the two-party system—a party on Friday night, and a party on Saturday night.

**Joyce Smith's** camp on Lake Bistineau was the scene of a party given by the basketball players. A few of those enjoying the party were **Judy Horn, Cathie Franklin, Don Ensley and Ford King.**

The Chi O House was the scene Friday night of an informal gathering for a Friday the 13th Bad Luck Party. Hot chocolate, coffee, and donuts were the refreshments for the evening. It was the scene of various activities: television, stereo, bridge, etc. Some of those frequenting the gathering were **Anne Gibbs, Johnny Lawrence, Joy Camerer, and George Le Ray.**

Various activities took place at the Zeta house during the past week. The ZTAs had a dessert party for the basketball players at which they served apple pie, ice cream, and coffee. Some of those seen enjoying the delicious treats were **Willard Moore, Jim Mitchell, Janet Gholson, and Bob Barker.** Also, the Zeta pledges fixed sandwiches for the active members Saturday.

The KA house was the scene of a Jungle Party Saturday night. Moss, trees, and grass gave the atmosphere of the wild jungle. **Ken Bond, Gail Stimpert, Linda Stone, Conrad Wooley, and Brenda Bailey** were a few of those seen drinking from coconuts.

Many Centenaryites journey off campus this past weekend. Dallas was the destination of **Judy Meredith;** Arkansas U. hosted **Abbie Terry, Sonny Elder, and Carol Ann Winning;** while L. S. U. had the pleasure of several Centenary stu-

dents, **Hoyt Bain, Anne McClure, Charlie McCartney, and Rives Grogan.**

INFORMED SOURCES tell us that **George Acton** and his guests had a pretty rough time keeping the car on the road, right? Also, we hear that **Bill Bolen, Theo Kleemann, Gene LaCaze, and Jim Daigle** had to get out and push—or attempt to push, in knee deep water. Some weekend???

Informed sources say it is OUT to decorate the campus with broken eggs.

### Peterdi Exhibits 29 Art Works

An exhibit of original prints by **Gabor Peterdi**, Hungarian artist, is on display in the Moore Student Center, under the sponsorship of the art department.

The exhibit includes 29 works, the majority of them non-objective, and a number of representational prints. Color etchings, etchings and engravings are included, and both still life and landscape prints are represented.

**Peterdi** studied at the Hungarian Academy in Budapest, at the Academia Delle Belle Arty in Rome, at the Academy Julien in Paris, at the Academy Scandinavien in Paris and at Studio 17 in Paris. He has exhibited his works numerous times and at many internationally and nationally known annuals. He has lectured widely on art and his works are included in many well known collections.

**Willard Cooper**, chairman of the art department, said the exhibit is one of the finest to be shown locally and was arranged in conjunction with the art department's policy of presenting art exhibits at regular intervals on the campus.

### ROTC Rifle Team Fires Second Win

The Centenary ROTC Rifle Team won its second City League match Thursday evening, Nov. 12. Their opponent, the Caddo Rifle and Pistol Club, forfeited the match. Some firing was done, however, and **Thomas Harwell** of Centenary was top firer with a total of 192 points.

The team lost their first out-of-town engagement with Ouachita Baptist College Saturday, Nov. 14. Again **Harwell** was top scorer with a score of 193 points. However, he was unable to salvage the match and Ouachita won by a score of 935 to 899.

Next competition is Thursday, Nov. 26 at 7:30. The team will fire at the Centenary range in competition with the Louisiana National Guard.

### Phi Beta Pledges 4 New Members

Members and alumnae of Phi Beta Fraternity for music and speech held a tea in the home of **Mrs. Mary Elizabeth McCrocklin** and **Mrs. Marjorie Gibbs**, at 3302 Centenary last Friday afternoon, Nov. 13. The occasion for the event was the pledging of the following girls: **Marie Nelson, Linda Rosett, Linda Stone, and Rosemary Watkins.**

### WRA Is Working On Council Room

A current project of the WRA is the remodeling of a room in the basement of the gym to create a council room. At various times

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## Personalities Anticipate Peaceful Thanksgiving

"Sleeping is my favorite pastime because it's what I do the least of," says sophomore **Janet Havelka**. "I also like to read and to watch football games. But I guess my skills lie mostly in the house-wifely category—cooking and sewing and stuff like that," she states.

**Janet** is a speech major and transferred to Centenary this year from junior college in Texarkana. "Originally I'm from Kansas, but then we moved to Kentucky and then to Texarkana, where I've been trying to get away from ever since," she says.

She claims that she likes the southern weather but misses the snow. "We used to go tobogganing, and you sure can't go tobogganing here," she states. She also likes Centenary, and is a pledge of Alpha Xi Delta sorority.

"I went bowling for the first time in my life Saturday night," she states, "and I liked it so well that I'm going to spend my whole Thanksgiving holidays doing nothing but bowling."

#### Dislikes Sports

"I guess my being in college is about the most unexpected thing that ever happened to me," states **Martin Agnally**, freshman. **Martin** is a chemistry major and comes to Centenary from New Orleans. "I came here because the campus was small and so beautiful," he says.

"I can't stand sports!" he exclaims, "but I do like sport car racing. When I'm at home, I haunt the drag strip in Hammond. I like to dance, too. But I'm just a plain old city boy when it comes to anything else. I can't stand hunting and fishing."

**Martin** looks forward to the Thanksgiving holidays so that he can go home and eat, sleep and rest, "for a change," he states.

#### 'Alias' Peoples

**William Douglas Peoples**, alias **Spray**, **Misty**, **Bill**, **Brother Spray**, and **Hey You**, is a junior ministerial student. "The kids of the choir" (of which he is a member) "gave me the name **Spray** during summer camp my freshman year," he explains. At that time the mosquitoes were rather prevalent, and seemed to be picking especially on him. "If another one bites me," threatened **Spray**, "I'm gonna spray this whole place." One did, and he did, asphyxiating most of his com-

during the week, council members work on the room. So far, the table has been finished, pictures have been hung, and the walls are to be painted soon.

rades. They immediately dubbed him, "And the name stuck with me better than my own name," he states. "I even got a letter from one of the kids I had at camp last summer addressed to 'Reverend Spray'."

**Misty** had a busy summer this year. Besides acting as counselor at the Methodist camp on Caney Lake, he took a group from Mangum Methodist church to Florida and one from Minden to Texas, Oklahoma and Arkansas. He now works as youth director at First Methodist church in Minden. "This summer I think we're going to go west to the Rocky Mountains," he reveals.

**Willie** lists as favorite occupations squirrel hunting and "dabbling in taxidermy work." The first animal that he mounted was a fox which was revealed to have rabies. As a result, **Spray** was forced to get tetanus shots.

#### Cracks Cast

**Janet Gholson**, senior, remembers a Thanksgiving season when a car ran over her foot. The cast that the doctors put on her was no hindrance to **Janet**; it was rather an asset. When her school chums brought her a basket of get-well fruit and nuts, **Janet** broke her cast using it to crack the nuts. "It worked marvelously—for a while," she states.

**Janet**, who is an English major, is active in many campus affairs. She is a member of Zeta Tau Alpha, on the MSM council, in the Choir, in WRA, and plays in intramurals. "I suppose my favorite occupations are playing the piano, swimming, listening to records, and sewing," she says.

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## SPORTS SPOTLIGHT

Basketball season is just about with us now. The team has been practicing since Oct. 15 in preparation for the first game which will be with Texas A. & M. Dec. 1. To give the students as well as visitors a pre-season glimpse of the team, a game is scheduled Tuesday night at 6:00 p.m. in the Haynes Memorial Gym. The game is to be the second annual Freshman-Varsity tilt. The game will be followed by a bar-be-que supper to be eaten in the gym. The game, of course, is free, the dinner should not cost more than \$1.50. It promises to be fun for everyone, and all Freshmen will be out pulling for their red-shirted boys to skin the Varsity, who will be trying to even the score that was set by the tug-of-war.

In the past, the Varsity has won out, but the big boys had better look out this year! Coach Mooty, in a recent interview, gave the freshmen some encouragement when he said, "The varsity men have won in the past but they had better look out for the yearlings this year. In any case," he continues to point out, "it will take good TEAM effort to win, in this game or any other."

Some of the freshman players to keep your eyes open for are Bob Barker, who is a new transfer student and shows good possibilities; Don Insley, from Joplin, Missouri, whose high school team had a 32-game winning streak last season; John Lukasik and Phil Mumma should prove to be full of speed and power on the boards. The freshman squad is not lacking in height either, for instance, Harry Wuennenberg, 6' 9", Ralph Ferrari, 6' 8", Riley Wallace, 6' 5" and Willard Moore, 6' 3".

Spotlighted players for the Varsity returning from last year's successful season will be Eubanks, Green and Crawford, also a new style will be noted in Cothorn, new to Gent fans but probably a powerhouse on the squad this year. Ol' Alabama Mason has been hitting the bucket almost regularly, so perhaps the red-shirted Freshman squad will have to exhibit some fine ball handling to even the balance of power.

The record set by last year's varsity is a pretty impressive one, 14-14 for a 28 game season. Batting .500 isn't bad in anybody's book. It has been said that this year's squad has possibly more potential than last year's, but they will have to work hard to equal the hustle, speed, heads-up ball playing that was the hall mark of the '58 Gents. This year's schedule is also a tougher one, having many nationally known schools listed. Like Mooty says, "A total team effort can do it."

Dec. 1—Texas A. & M. . . . . There  
Dec. 5—Rice . . . . . There  
(Trip scheduled, get tickets in SUB)  
Dec. 7—Tulane . . . . . There  
Dec. 10 . . . . . HOME

### ROTC Review

## Monk, Sponsor Command Co. A

Kay Cooper, a pretty and intelligent psychology major from Sulphur, is the newest addition to the ROTC Battle Group. Elected as Sponsor of A Company, Miss Cooper has been given the rank of Captain. A soprano in the Centenary Choir, Kay's other interests are in reading and swimming and skiing, which she has just learned. Very honestly she admitted that she liked novels better than poetry but expressed an admiration for people like Dr. Teagarden who have little difficulty in "translating poetry into sensible prose."

With a charming naivete, Kay said that "I think men are monogamous by habit," when the reporter teased her about marriage. She plans to do graduate work in psychology and mentioned Tulane as a possible choice of graduate schools.

Commanding A Company is cadet Captain Merrill Edward Monk from Minden. Cadet Monk is a Senior Commerce major with a minor in history and economics. Monk has played varsity baseball for four years. Last year he served mainly as a relief pitcher and with the exception of Don Stahl, he pitched more innings than any other pitcher. When asked for plans for the future, Monk mentioned his two-year tour of duty in the Army Medical Corps (he hopes), and said that after that he might sign to play pro-baseball.



Members of the MSM entry in girls intramural volleyball are first row, left to right: Gen Compton, Judy Mayo, and second row left to right, are Carol Tyler, Carolyn Denison, Jule Ann Young, Jean Netterville and Fran Littrell. Their team is currently ahead in the competition.

## Volleyball Nears Close

With the women's intramurals volleyball season nearing its close, MSM remains in first place and is expected to win the tournament.

The regularly scheduled games will end Tuesday, Nov. 24, with MSM playing Zeta Blue and Chi Omega playing Iota Gamma. At present, Iota Gamma and Alpha Xi Delta are tied for second place.

The team standings as of Nov. 17 are as follows:

	Won	Lost
MSM	6	0
Iota Gamma	5	1
Alpha Xi Delta	3	2
Independents	2	4
Owlets	2	4
Zeta Grey	2	3
Zeta Blue	0	5

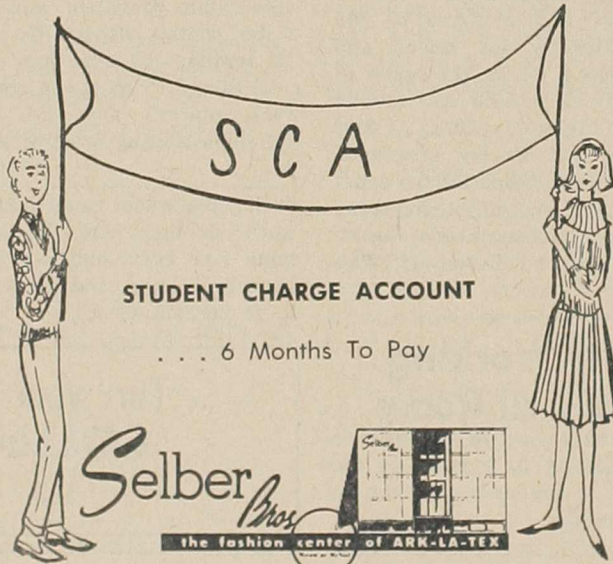
Currently paddle ball singles and doubles, and shuffleboard singles and doubles are going on. The ten-

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## Mason Returns To Gents' Team

By DAVE WHITE

Ralph Mason is starting his third season with the Gent Five this year. Ralph "Stretch" originally hails from Selma, Alabama, where he earned 8 letters in sports, one was for All-State at the end position. Ralph was promoted to the varsity last year as a relief, but this year he will be in there fighting with the Gents. After watching the scrimmage the other day, it looks like Ralph, as well as the rest of the team, is going to have a good winning season. Ralph also plays first base on the Gent baseball team.

## Grad Receives English Position

Linda Kay Cunningham of Ashdown Ark., has been appointed a graduate assistant in English at the University of Arkansas.

Miss Cunningham, who will be graduated in January, will assume her new duties on Feb. 1, 1960. She will instruct a class in freshman English at the university while working toward a Master of Arts degree in English.

Miss Cunningham, a senior education major, has completed 24 semester hours in English.



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## 15 Students Named To Who's Who



New members of Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities are Mary Lou Gassen, Penny Hawkins, Ann DeShazo, Coan Knight, Richard Herrmann, Steve Victory and Jackie Carpenter. Mary Beth Bomar is shown in inset.

### Honored Students Installed Nov. 24

Fifteen new members were installed into membership in Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities in chapel Tuesday, Nov. 24.

The recognized students were named by former Centenary members of Who's Who.

George Acton, senior mathematics major, is a member of Kappa Sigma fraternity, vice-president of Alpha Epsilon Delta, president of Alpha Sigma Pi, and member of Alpha Sigma Chi and the biology club. He received the outstanding freshman award and the mathematics and chemistry achievement awards. He was chosen to participate in the Oak Ridge Student Trainee Program during the summer of 1959.

A member of last year's Who's Who is Miss Cornelia Agurs, senior English major. She is president of Alpha Xi Delta social sorority; president of Maroon Jackets; Clerk of Court of the Honor Court; and member of Cencoe, Sigma Tau Delta, Alpha Sigma Pi, Methodist Student Movement and Alpha Chi. She was past president of Panhellenic and received the outstanding freshman award.

#### SERVES SCHOOL

Miss Mary Beth Bomar is president of Chi Omega social sorority and member of the Faculty Student committee on Student Affairs, Panhellenic Council and Cencoe. She was elected Pajama Girl of Kappa Sigma fraternity, beauty for three years, first alternate to Miss Centenary, sophomore maid in the 1957 Gents Holiday Court, Princess in the 50 Years in Shreveport Celebration court, and cheerleader for three years. She is a senior majoring in education and has worked on the Yoncopin staff for three years.

A senior English major, William "Jackie" Carpenter is a member of Kappa Sigma social fraternity, Centenary College Choir, Centenary College Band, and Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia. He was Student Body treasurer, junior favorite and participates on the tennis team and intramurals.

#### RECORDS FOR JACKETS

Secretary of Maroon Jackets, vice-president of Phi Beta, co-ed vice-president of the Centenary College Choir, and historian and pledge trainer of Zeta Tau Alpha social sorority is Miss Ann DeShazo, senior music education major. She was senior favorite and a member of Cencoe, Panhellenic Council, James Dormitory Council and intramurals.

Miss Truly Ane Drake is a member of Phi Kappa Delta, Alpha Sigma Phi, and Methodist Student

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nary will be on display in the SUB on Wednesday, Dec. 9, at the time of the voting.



Announcement of this year's new Who's Who roster was made in a special chapel program before the Thanksgiving holidays. Pictured above are Abbie Terry, Cornelia Agurs, Barbara Ann Hyde, Truly Ann Drake, Hoyt Duggan, Dub Fletcher and George Acton.

## Senate To Sponsor Gent's Day, Dec. 10

The Student Senate is sponsoring Gents' Day on Thursday, Dec. 10, the date of the basketball team's first home game. Highlights of the day's celebrations will be a pep rally, dance and presentation of the Gents Court.

A regular chapel program that morning will feature the basketball players, with introductions of them. A pep rally will be held that afternoon at 5:00 p. m. in amphitheatre, directed by the cheerleaders and pep squad.

A Centenary Gentleman (a student in the proper attire) will entertain during the half-time at the game that night. Following the game, the Student Senate is sponsoring a dance in honor of the team, in the Moore Student Center. The team's court, consisting of a sweetheart and four maids, will be announced at this time. The court will be secret until this time only with the varsity members and the five members of the court previously knowing. Disclosure of the sweetheart will be a surprise to the girls themselves. The team members elected the court and sweetheart.

The Tunes from Tech will play at the dance and the dormitory girls all have 12:00 permission. The Student Senate is making all the arrangements for the decorations, posters, refreshments, and throne and crown of the sweetheart.

"Everyone is urged to attend the activities and especially the game! The purpose of Gents' Day is to promote all-out support of the basketball team this year," says Dub Fletcher, president of the Student Senate.

### Students Will Elect 9 College Beauties

Election for campus beauties and Miss Centenary will take place on Wednesday, Dec. 9. In the event of a tie for top beauty, a run-off will be held Friday, Dec. 11. The polls will be open from 8:00 a. m. until 2:00 p. m. in the Moore Student Center.

To be eligible, each girl must turn in a petition with twenty-five signatures by Monday, Dec. 7, and an eight by ten glossy print to either Bessie Rught Risinger or Coan Knight, co-editors of the Yoncopin, by Tuesday, Dec. 8. In addition, it is necessary for the girl to have a 2.0 average and she may be in any class.

Each year the male students registered with twelve or more hours elect nine girls as beauties. The girl with the top votes will be given the title of Miss Centenary.

Results of the beauty election will be announced in the Conglomerate on Friday, Dec. 18.

Last year, Miss Ramona Nail (now Mrs. Douglas Yauger) was elected Miss Centenary. Other beauties elected at the same time were Mary Beth Bomar, Jeri Diane Cassady, Kay Cooper, Mignon Eubanks, Helen Gully, Sue Howell, Jeanne Kelso, and Wilma Jo Walters.

Pictures of the young ladies vying for the title of Miss Cente-

## Foundation Donates \$100 Scholarships

The Ford Foundation is providing scholarships of \$100 each for students wishing to participate in the exchange program between Centenary College and the Institute of Technological and High School Studies in Monterrey, Mexico.

Centenary has participated in the exchange program between the Mexican institution and American colleges for a number of years but such scholarships have never been offered. Ten colleges and universities organized the International Summer School Unit and arranged for an exchange of summer session classes with Monterrey Tech following President Eisenhower's plea that U. S. institutions of higher learning exchange classes with similar institutions in other countries under the sponsorship of private foundations.

Dean Vogel said the full cost of the summer session from July 16 to Aug. 26 will be \$260, which includes tuition, room, meals, medical care and laundry and use of recreational facilities. Applications for the scholarships of \$100, to cover partial costs, must be made through Dean Vogel.

United States students participating in the program will study conversational Spanish, Spanish literature, traditions and customs and all phases of Spanish culture, while being provided with opportunities to meet with Spanish people in their home environment.

Other colleges participating are American University, Baylor, Florida State, Mississippi Southern College, Texas Christian, University of Florida, University of Houston, University of Kentucky and Vanderbilt University.



## IN AND OUT

With Chance Wayne

Communication is IN. All our Great Mass Media of Communication not only don't communicate, they're OUT. (Exceptions: Pogo, Jack Paar, The Times Literary Supplement, Esquire, Peanuts.) "Dear Abbey" is IN if you're in a sentimental mood and don't have anything better to do, like read "Your Baby and Mine." It's a toss-up between Billy Graham and the horoscope as to which says more, but they're both OUT. If you've been to the Honor Court lately, you'll appreciate the OUTness of Judge Parker and the INness of Miss Peach even more. Still, the Honor Court is a thankless task, and thankless tasks are IN, if you can't get out of them. "On With the Show" seems to have been written with mixed emotions, but we read it with only one—amazement! How OUT can a thing be?

Wearing an ROTC hat in Chapel is OUT—unless it's absolutely necessary. Being sweet and innocent is IN—for girls. Being saccharine and naive is OUT. Telling about everything you did over the holidays is OUT. Telling about everything someone else did over the holidays is especially OUT. Just sleeping, eating and vegetating in front of the TV during the holidays is IN. If you did (and how many of us readers take time to do the common, simple things of life any more), you know full well that almost anything on TV in the afternoons is OUT, especially American Bandstand and Queen for a Day. However, Huckleberry Hound is IN. 77 Sunset Strip is IN (except for Kookie).

Collecting stamps is OUT. Collecting Stamps is IN, if you're Buddy Graham. Also, collections of pin-ups, coins, matchbooks, road signs, chewing-gum wrappers, back issues of **Reader's Digest**, boys you've shafted, and pink slips are all OUT. But collections of pin-up girls, Marlboro boxes, antique cars, money, girls you've shafted, back issues of **Esquire**, and old tests are IN.

"A Summer Place" started pretty much INly, but the ending was so weak it had to be OUT. (About halfway through I said that if Sandra Dee made that pouty face again, I'd scream. So she did make that pouty face again and I did scream, and that, to paraphrase Dorothy Parker, ends what is probably the OUTest anecdote on record.) In short, the movie was IN before all was said and done.

### THE TEN OUTEST THINGS I COULD THINK OF ON THE SPUR OF THE MOMENT:

1. Red and black typewriter ribbons.
2. Matinees.
3. Sex instruction manuals
4. Respect for the dead.
5. Wire coat hangers.
6. Venetian blinds.
7. Curfews.
8. Cold showers.
9. The phrases "little boys' room" and "little girls' room."
10. Girdles.

And that, to use an immortal phrase, wraps it up for the week. For an "IN" thought for the week, we turn to an immortal phrase of Voltaire. Well, turn to almost any immortal phrase of Voltaire's. They're all very IN. In fact, reader, I won't spoil for you all the thrill of finding them yourself. Just get your own copy of Voltaire (libraries are so OUT right now, and Mrs. Clark will appreciate the business—besides which I get a kickback), and we'll talk about it sometime.

Oh, and if you did something horrendously OUT this week, like go through Bedbug Week or use the phrase "informed sources" in your society column, don't worry about it. Everyone was just a little too tired from the holidays to notice.

#### Dear Chance,

In one of your earlier columns you said that billboards and billdodds are out. Well, I've looked it up in dictionaries and I even went to the libraries and tried to find out what a "billdodd" is. The librarians were very patient and helpful, but we could never find out anything about these "billdodds."

Seriously now, no kidding, what is a "billdodd"? Is it some kind of antique musical instrument that all the beatnick musicians are re-viving, or is it like some new trend in wide lapels or something? I've followed every one of your columns and I honestly try to do what you say is IN every week, and I'm dying to know what these "billdodds" are so I can avoid them, or at least knock them sometime and know what I'm talking about.

A Frustrated Reader

#### Dear Frustrated,

Looking something like this up in the dictionary is hopelessly OUT. Libraries are hopelessly OUT. Librarians are usually hopelessly OUT. On second thought though, dictionaries can sometimes be IN. Come to think of it, reader, you're pretty hopelessly OUT too.

### NOTEWORTHY EVENTS

The annual Christmas lighting service will take place Monday, Dec. 7, at 7 p. m. in front of James Dormitory. The traditional open house at Rotary Hall will precede the program.

Members of the Methodist Student Movement will present a reading of Jean-Paul Sartre's "No Exit" Tuesday, Dec. 8, at 7 p. m. in the Religious Activities Center.

Yoncopin sponsored beauty election will be Wednesday, Dec. 9, with all qualified male students voting. Contestants' pictures will be on display in the Moore Student Center.

## Who's Who —

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Movement. She is secretary of Maroon Jackets and secretary-treasurer of Alpha Chi. She served as vice-president and secretary of Sigma Tau Delta, member of the Discipline Committee and **Conglomerate** staff and vice-president, secretary and publicity chairman of Hardin Hall.

Hoyt "Doug" Duggan, senior English major, is president of Alpha Chi and Sigma Tau Delta. In ROTC he served as company Executive officer and battle group staff officer and in intramural activities.

Current president of the student body is Lewis "Dub" Fletcher. He is a member of Omicron Delta Kappa, Kappa Chi and the Centenary College Band and Choir. He is vice-president of the Choir, secretary of Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia and has been elected president of the freshman and sophomore class and president and vice-president of the Methodist Student Movement.

### EXTRA ACTIVE GASSEN

Miss Mary Lou Gassen is a member of Who's Who for the second year. She has served as personnel chairman of Chi Omega, social sorority, secretary of the Student Senate, member of the Intramural council, secretary and treasurer of the Centenary College Band, freshman representative to James Dormitory Council, and on the Student Affairs Committee. She is treasurer of Chi Omega, Honor Court Alternate, and member of Cencoe, the Debate Team, Alpha Sigma Pi, Kappa Chi and the Methodist Student Movement. She was selected outstanding intramural participant her freshman and sophomore years, elected sophomore favorite and is a senior education major.

Miss Penelope "Penny" Hawkins is a senior majoring in commerce. She serves as vice-president of Chi Omega social sorority; vice-president of the Maroon Jackets; secretary-treasurer of Delta Tau Omicron; and secretary of the Newman Club. During the past years, she served as editor of the **Conglomerate** and participated on the President's Publication Committee for 2 years. Penny is a member of the Honor Court, Alpha Chi, and Cencoe.

### METHODIST

Richard Herrmann, a junior history major, is president of the Methodist Student Movement, Quest chairman of Kappa Chi, Honor Court justice, and a member of Alpha Sigma Pi.

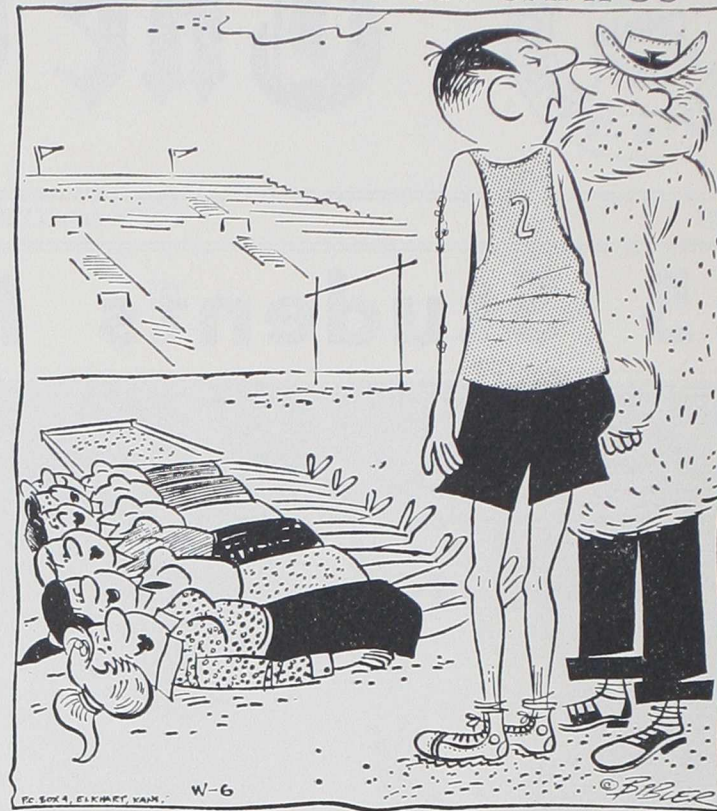
A senior majoring in voice, Miss Barbara Ann Hyde, is at present vice-president of the student body, president of Cencoe, treasurer of the Maroon Jackets, president of Phi Beta, standards chairman of Zeta Tau Alpha, and is soprano section leader in the Centenary College Choir. She is a member of Alpha Sigma Pi, Women's Recreation Association, and in the past she has served as vice-president of the Baptist Student Union.

Coan Knight received the Publications Award in 1959. He now serves as treasurer of Kappa Sigma, president of Delta Tau Omicron, and co-editor of the Yoncopin. He is a senior majoring in commerce.

Associate justice of the Honor

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## LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



"LOOK, COONSKIN, YOU DO TH' BROAD JUMP YOUR WAY AN' I'LL DO TH' BROAD JUMP MY WAY."

## Unrecognized Seniors

Honors distributed to recognize worth, achievement and activities present the problem of including all the persons deserving of the honor. These "honor lists" invariably have to be shortened and thereby delete or fail to include the names of many "noteworthy" people. Such is the case of this year's committee selections for Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities.

The time for actual recognition is past and discussion about some students excluded from the list who are apparently more deserving of the honor than some of those persons included on the list is futile. Although it is too late for Fred Willis and Charles Byrd to be added to Centenary's 1959-60 list of Who's Who, they are both deserving of the award and are herewith mentioned in that light.

Charles Byrd, senior, is an active member of numerous campus honor organizations. He serves as president of Alpha Epsilon Delta and is a member of Omicron Delta Kappa, Alpha Sigma Chi, Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia, the Centenary College Band, and Kappa Sigma social fraternity. He has participated in intramurals and was elected treasurer of his junior class. He was one of 20 students in the nation to receive a grant to participate in the student trainee program of the Oak Ridge National Research Laboratory for the summer of 1959.

Fred Willis, senior, served the student body as vice-president of the Student Senate last year and is currently president of the senior class. Fred was elected to the presidency of his sophomore class and elected sophomore class favorite. He is the current president of the Intra-Fraternity Council and president of Kappa Sigma social fraternity. He has been an active participant in intramurals.

Membership to Who's Who is granted for scholarship, campus leadership and potentialities of future service to college and community. Both aforementioned young men have actively served the campus and both plan to attend graduate school and then serve their communities as doctors in research or medicine.

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# Meet The 1959-60 Centenary Gents

## JACKIE CRAWFORD

"As Crawford goes, so will go the Gents," is the pre-season consensus of opinion among many Centenary followers. Although only a soph in 58-59, the Grand Prairie Texan showed flashes of brilliance in a number of key games. Second high in the team scoring to the graduated "Tooley" Martello with an 11.6 average, Crawford has 9.4 per game. Considerably more agile than many performers his size, "Jumpin Jackie" also possesses an excellent left-handed set shot from the outside, which will add many a woe to clubs trying to jam the key.

## LARRY GREENE

If Coach Orvis Sigler loses a few more hairs, smiles with a winner, develops ulcers, or is deafened by crowd applause, this veteran will very possibly provide it all, and, in one evening at that. A fast, tireless, aggressive ballhawk, appearing in 53 of 54 games in the past two seasons, Greene rang up a total of 220 points in '58-59 for an 8.0 per game average. At the same time he drew the ire of the whistle-toters 91 times, although taking the long walk on only three

occasions. Always drawing the top defensive assignment, he is a master on the mid-court switch or full-court press, and at the same time, is a driving threat on the offense as nine double figure performances last year will attest.

## BILLY EUBANKS

"Here comes the Weasel," is the chant sent up by his teammates as the Gents take the floor, and although a nickname, nothing could be more typical of his play. Alert, smooth, deadly under fire, the lithe Alabamian is the key to Sigler's "slow down offense." One of the three men to appear in all 28 Gents contests last year, Bill's talents were not confined to the defensive side of play, as at the free throw line his same coolness prevailed to the tune of 49 for 59, or .831. Even more outstanding was his 28 appearances, mostly on top-scoring "little men," and nary a foul ejection, while averaging 6.1 per contest.

## ARNIE McHONE

A relatively new man to the Gent line up is 24 year old Arnie McHone. He hails from Asheville, N. C., and is a graduate of L. M. U. Although Arnie is starting the

season off with a broken finger, he claims that it should not bother him too much when he starts picking Owl feathers down in Houston in the Rice game. Keep your eye on him, he shows the possibility to be a real asset to the Gents line up.

## WAYNE DUBOSE

Only a little added spark of confidence is needed, and this easy going Alabamian will give the Gents a terrific lift both on the boards and in the front line. Used sparingly in 58-59, the "Spider" rose on several occasions to be the key man in late game rebounding efforts. Wayne's best night came against Northwestern in the Gulf South Classic, registering 10 counters, as he teamed with the now graduated Robert Scott to set a new all time Centenary free throw record.

## RALPH MASON

Another of the many natives of Alabama on the Centenary roster, this rugged blonde is certain to battle for a starting berth. Although his first year varsity records are far from sensational, he became the top front line relief man for Crawford and Martello

as the Gents battled for an NCAA berth. Ralph was one of the few athletes to earn all state recognition in both high school football and basketball.

## JOHN VASILOPOULOS

A likely candidate to "quarter-back" the Gents this year after having been red shirted in 58-59 following his transfer from the U. S. Military Academy. This "roly-poly" Missourian has learned the Sigler system of play very well. Smart, quick and cool, Vasilopoulos teaming with Greene, Cothern and Eubanks should give the Gents another outstanding quartet of "Little" men.

## GLENN COTHERN

One of two graduates of Coach Joe Turner's fabulous Kilgore Jr. College basketball assembly line to join the Gents this year, Glenn's background is tremendous. He has been the Most Valuable Louisiana AAA player, Louisiana scoring champion, etc. Should this boy from bayouland maintain his pace, there'll be smiles - a - plenty in Gentsville.

## JIM MITCHELL

From one of America's foremost basketball hotbeds, Kentucky, via

Kilgore Junior College, comes this tall, agile player. With the loss of his high scoring ace, Gerald Martello, Coach Sigler figures Mitchell as a prime candidate to fill those very big shoes.

## DALE VAN BIBBER

This is the boy that railbirds, from the first day they saw him in action, have waited for his varsity debut. Scoring-wise, he's not overly impressive; moving the ball, he's got to learn; but on the boards he looks very outstanding.

## MIKE RAMMING

This is "Mr. Touch" among the three yearlings graduating to the varsity and there possibly will be no question as to who has the finest scoring eye on the entire squad before the campaign is over. Sigler figures age, weight and experience will smooth over some of the rough spots.

## FORD KING JR.

This is "Mr. Experience" among the Gent yearlings making the big move this year, as young Mr. King has had the benefit of a lifetime of coaching from a proven East Texas starmaker, his daddy, Ford King, Sr. He appears to have the potential to be really outstanding on the court this year.

## Friedenberg Credits College In Writings

The Vanishing Adolescent has been termed a "silver anniversary present" to Centenary College by its author Edgar Z. Friedenbergh. Dr. Friedenbergh, now a teacher of adolescent development at Brooklyn College in New York, was once a student at Centenary—in 1934, at the age of 13—and credits our institution with having been an exceptionally good school.

Though he took degrees at Centenary and Stanford in chemistry, his main interest was in the teaching of his subject. In graduate school he became aware of the importance of proper education and received his doctoral degree from the University of Chicago in that field.

Within the same family, Dr. Friedenbergh's sister, Elizabeth, is presently with the art department here at Centenary. Dr. Friedenbergh was born in New York but lived in Shreveport from the age of 3 weeks to 17 years when he went to Stanford to do graduate work.

In his own comments upon his education, Dr. Friedenbergh writes appreciatively of being allowed, at his own insistence, to enter college at 13, particularly to find friends on his own level of intelligence. He had never attended public or high school, not being able to fit into a grade level, and had been tutored by the heads of the chemistry and foreign language departments here, Drs. Entrikin and Ford.

Because of his acceptance into the college by the students on their own level, Dr. Friedenbergh now expresses a gratitude for the insight into adolescence they helped him to obtain, even speculating what he might have become had this insight not developed. Certainly, his recent book *The Vanishing Adolescent* might not have been

written. In it he maintains that "Real adolescents are vanishing . . . Many are holding back and some are getting crushed. My purpose in this book is to show why this is so, and what I think we are losing."

This book is a silver anniversary present to Centenary College and Dr. Friedenbergh states, "We will continue, I trust, to exchange gifts."

## Regiment Adopts LaCaze's Manual

The pledge manual of Company 0-6 of the Pershing Rifles has been adopted by the Sixth Regiment as its Regimental Pledge Manual. As such, it will be used in the pledge training of the 12 companies of the Sixth Regiment.

Gene LaCaze, cadet second lieutenant, wrote the manual. Announcement of its regimental adoption was made Monday, Nov. 30, by Cadet Captain Winston Miller, PR commander.

LaCaze's manual has also been submitted to the National Headquarters for the possibility of its use as the National Pledge Manual.

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## Who's Who —

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Court, Miss Abbie Terry, has been elected to Who's Who for the second time. She is a senior majoring in piano and is vice-president of the Senior Class, secretary of Chi Omega, vice-president of Alpha Chi, president of Alpha Sigma Pi, president of Phi Beta, secretary-treasurer of the Panhellenic Council, and treasurer of James Dormitory. Last year she served as secretary of the Junior Class and was a class favorite. Abbie is a member of the Maroon Jackets, Methodist Student Movement, and Cencoe.

The current chief justice of the Honor Court is Stephen "Steve" Victory. He is a member of Kappa Sigma, Alpha Sigma Chi, the Baptist Student Union, and the baseball team. He is a senior majoring in Geology and has participated in intramurals.

The above members of Who's Who for 1959-60 were selected by nominations from the student body and faculty, carefully considered and selected by faculty members of the Student Affairs Committee. Selection was based on the following qualifications: junior or senior standing; superior scholarship, leadership in campus activities and potentialities of future service to college and community.

Who's Who was founded in 1934 to give recognition to students on a national basis. Students selected for this honor will have their names published in the 1959-60 edition of Who's Who in American Universities and Colleges. Centenary's chapter began in 1938-39.

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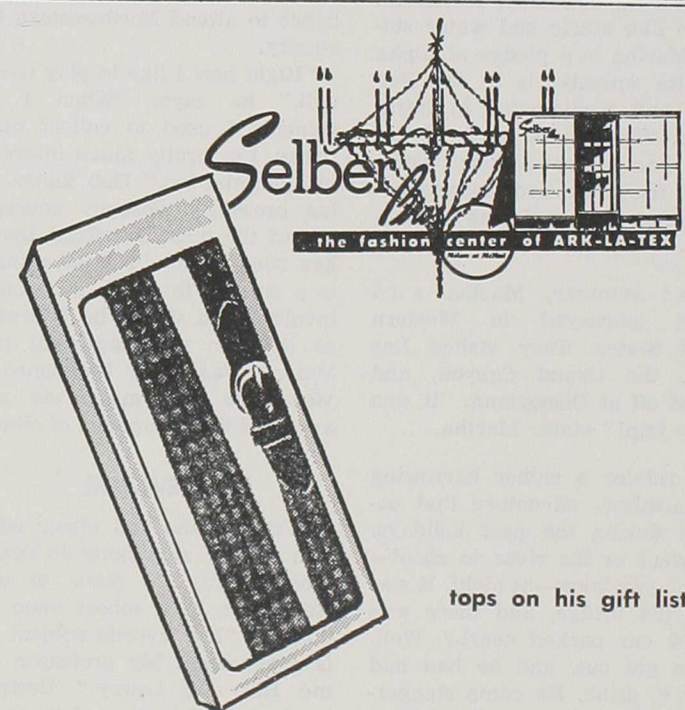
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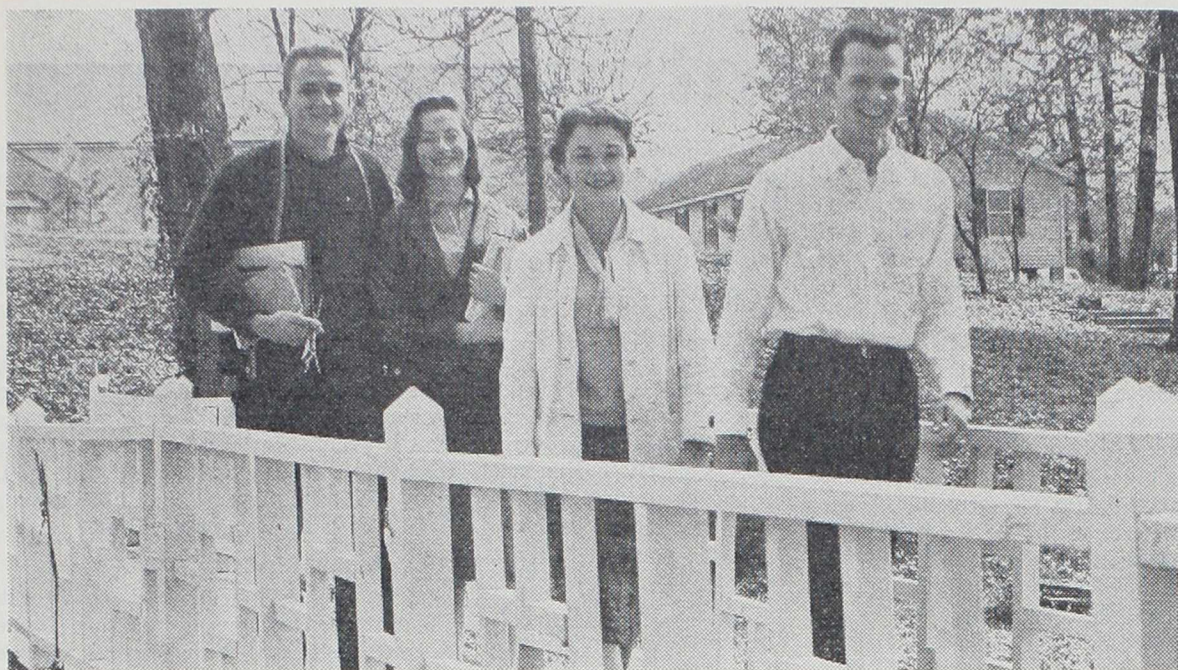
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Strolling across a bridge on campus are this week's personalities. Back from the holidays and ready for Christmas are Butch Franklin, sophomore; Betty Jo Towery, junior; Martha Simmons, freshman; and Dub Fletcher, senior.

## Personalities Like Music

BY DOLLIE MILLER

"My extra curricular activities consist of choir, choir, and — on off-days — choir." Michael "Butch" Franklin, a member of Kappa Sigma fraternity, claims that other than these two activities he only eats, drinks and sleeps on the campus—with maybe a little studying on the side.

Butch, a sophomore, will remain at Centenary only until he finishes taking the botany courses offered, which will be at the end of this school year. He became interested in botany while working at a florist shop in DeRidder, his home town. "We had a wonderful Thanksgiving holiday," he says, "two funerals."

He would like to take this opportunity to state that he is **not** a ministerial student, contrary to popular belief. Recently he has been bombarded with theology pamphlets from Boston, Perkins, and elsewhere. "I will, however, be glad to listen to anyone's problems, complaints, mental agonies, or other distresses," he kindly offers.

### 'PASSING' INTEREST

"My main interest is passing," says Martha Simmons, freshman. "I also like music and water skiing." Martha is a pledge of Alpha Xi Delta sorority, is in the Pep Squad and participates in intramurals. She spends most of her spare time in the evenings working in the education department and is currently majoring in commerce.

Last summer, Martha and friends journeyed to Western United States. They visited Las Vegas, the Grand Canyon, and stopped off at Disneyland. "It was quite a trip!" states Martha.

She relates a rather harrowing —if harmless, adventure that occurred during the past holidays. "We went to the river to shoot—a pistol, you know—at night. It was under the bridge, and there was another car parked nearby. Well, a man got out, and he had had plenty to drink. He came staggering over toward us, and I noticed a revolver tucked in his belt—so I ran. Right before I got to the car, he fired three shots. Blam! Blam! Blam! I thought I was dead, but I hadn't felt anything, so I turned around and looked. He had just shot into the river, but I didn't

want to wait around to see what else he would do. I left."

### WALKS OVER LAKES

"During the Thanksgiving holidays I walked across a 90 acre lake." This amazing statement was made by senior, Dub Fletcher. Dub then hastened to explain that the lake was, in reality, drained. His father and he were clearing it of stumps and debris for water skiing.

Dub has made an outstanding record at Centenary in the last four years. His activities as senior consist of presiding as president of the entire student body, a member of ODK, the MSM, the choir, and recent election into the national Who's Who in American colleges. He is obtaining a divisional humanities degree and plans to continue his education working on a Masters and Doctorate in psychology. Although he must first fulfill some pre-requisites, he hopes to attend Northwestern University.

"Right now I like to play basketball," he says. "When I was younger I used to collect magic tricks. I'm pretty much interested in hypnosis, too." Dub thinks that his present philosophy course is one of the most beneficial that he has ever taken. "I believe that it is a subject in which everyone is involved and should be interested, as it deals with universal problems. It has really broadened my viewpoints and made me more aware of the viewpoints of others."

### ELEVATOR

"I'm a piano and music education major," says Betty Jo Towery, junior. Betty Jo plans to teach English in high school upon graduation. "My favorite subject here is psychology. My professor calls me Billy Jo Lowry." Betty Jo needs a combination of these subjects to prepare her for her after school occupation—teaching piano to seven youngsters. "I love them each and every one, the little dears," she says.

"My main campus activity is participating in the recitals which

are required of music students and during these, in suddenly experiencing lapses of memory, which aids me immensely in making desirable impressions." She is a member of Zeta Tau Alpha sorority and of Phi Beta, honorary music fraternity.

"My favorite occupation is riding elevators. The biggest excuse I have for riding in them is the noon choir rehearsal when I go to hear them practice. The only reason I came to Centenary was because I knew they had such a good elevator in the science building."

### NEA PROGRAM FOR 1959-60

December 4... Christmas Party  
January 8... Teaching Overseas  
February 5... Retarded Children  
March 4... The Rapid Learner Program  
April 1... Developmental Reading  
May 6... The Blind in Public Schools

NEA members will meet at Dr. Middlebrooks' home at 6:00 for the Christmas party, Dec. 4 and afterwards will go to the Old Folks Home caroling. All members are urged to attend.

### Group To Sponsor Jazz Night, Combo

Phi Beta will sponsor a "Night of Jazz" in the student union building on Wednesday night, Dec. 9, from 6-7:30 p. m. The combo will be composed of Clyde Phipps, vibes; Al Sherman, bass; Ace Lewis, drums; Harold Jones, tenor sax; Rule Beasley, piano.

Admission will be 25c per person. The student body and the faculty are all invited to come and to bring friends.

### FLOURNOY JEWELERS

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## ROUND BIG C CENTENARY

BY GINNY EMERSON

Lucille Gazekki was the houseguest of Janet Havelka over the Thanksgiving holidays.

Proudly displaying the drop letters of Carey Davis, a KA, is Melba Smith. Congratulations!!

Pud Paul is quite excited over her sparkling ring. Pud is engaged to Lawrence Waschka.

Jane Ilgenfritz, Warren West, Sara Hitchcock, and Jay Lang got to see the Tigers in action the weekend before the holidays started.

The Chi Omegas had an open house Friday morning for all Chi Omegas in the Shreveport area. L.S.U., Mississippi Southern, Arkansas, Alabama, and Colorado were a few of those schools represented. Seen enjoying refreshments were Mary Beth Bomar, Tannie McDade, Nancy White, and Paula Martin. Linda Frank, who attended Centenary last year, attended this party.

Janet McClellan had the opportunity of seeing the Four Freshmen in Little Rock while she was home.

Frankie Stokes and Jen Houchin were a few of those seen cheering the Aggies at College Station over the Holidays.

Angelina DeFatta, Larry Maden, Roxie Lewis, and Gene LaCaze were a few of those seen enjoying the Barbecue sponsored by the Pep Squad after the game between the

Varsity and the Freshmen teams.

Something new has hit the campus lately!! It's the Bedbugs!!! Sonny Edler, Al Pius, and Dennis Griggasy are a few of this group preparing for initiation which will take place Saturday night.

The Chi O Candlelight Ceremony has honored several girls during the past week. At one ceremony two girls were honored... Becky Musgrave and Patsy Stamps. Patsy is engaged to Buddy Graham, a graduate of Centenary.

Margie Dukes had the privilege of being honored all alone.

INFORMED SOURCES in the French Department tell us that Gloria Gaffney is engaged.

### Stokes To Speak At NLHA Meet

The North Louisiana Historical Association will meet on campus in the science auditorium Sunday, Dec. 6, at 3:00 p. m.

Dr. George Alwin Stokes of Northwestern State College will speak on the history of the lumbering industry in north Louisiana.

All students and faculty members are invited to attend.



## What Makes Pop Corn Pop?

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## Campus Men Elect 9 College Beauties

Miss Centenary for 1959-60 is Miss Lyndra Pate, of Shreveport. Miss Jeri Diane Cassidy, of Lake Charles, was first runner-up to the top beauty and Miss Ann McLaurin, of Mansfield, was second runner-up.

The remaining six beauties elected are as follows: Miss Linda Rosett, Shreveport; Miss Mary Beth Bomar, Bossier City; Miss Cathie Franklin, Dallas, Tex.; Miss Barbara Boudier and Miss Joy Camerer, Little Rock, Ark.; and Miss Becky Graham, Kirkwood, Mo.

The nine beauties were elected by the male voting population of Centenary on Wednesday, Dec. 9, in the Moore Student Center. The election was sponsored by the Yoncopin and the winning girls will be featured in the beauty section of the yearbook. Pictures of the girls running were on display in the student center at the time of the voting.

Other young ladies competing for the beauty honors were as follows: Virginia Bobbitt, Sandra Boddie, Fane Bussie, Kay Cooper, Angelina DeFatta, Lorita Donaho, Nancy Evans, Georgina Lechuga, Roxie Lewis, Sandra "Butchie" McCuiston, Paula Lynn Martin, Melba Smith, Gail Stimpert, Ruth Velotta, Rosalind Verduzco, and Kay Woodruff.

## 4 Students Attend Research Program

Carlton Chambers, Strong, Ark.; Lon McAnally, Houston, Tex.; Shelton Powers, Marshall, Tex.; and Rod Yeager of Shreveport are among the five outstanding science students in Louisiana who have been selected to tour New Orleans heart research facilities today.

The annual tour is sponsored by the Louisiana Heart Association to interest college students in medical research. A closed-circuit television demonstration at the Louisiana State University school of medicine, and lectures and demonstrations at the Tulane and Loyola medical schools will be included on the day-long program.

Dr. Mary Wartens, head of the biology department, is the representative to the undergraduate research steering committee of the Louisiana Heart Association. She will accompany the Centenary students on the tour, which is the fourth such program in which Centenary has participated.

### MERRY CHRISTMAS

This will be the final issue of the Conglomerate published before the holidays.

Sincere wishes for a happy holiday are extended by the staff to all students and faculty members.

## Annual ROTC Ball To Fete Sponsors

The eighth annual Military Ball will be held tomorrow night in the Moore Student Center at 8:30 p. m. and will be highlighted by the presentation of the sponsors.

Cadet Captain Coan I. Knight, Battle Group Adjutant, will present arriving guests to the members of the receiving line, which will include President and Mrs. Joe J. Mickle, Lieutenant Colonel and Mrs. Robert S. Scott, Cadet Lieutenant Colonel Carey L. Davis and Battle Group sponsor Peggy Eaves.

The Pershing Rifles, commanded by Cadet Captain Winston R. Miller, will form the traditional arch of steel through which the sponsors and their escorts will pass.

Cadet Major William Elva Carpenter, chairman of the committee for the selection of the orchestra, announced that music will be furnished this year by Jerry Atkins and the Blue Notes.

Precedent is being broken this year in that it will be the first time that there will be no queen. Instead, all of the sponsors will be feted.

Battle Group sponsor, Miss Peggy Eaves, will be escorted by Cadet Lieutenant Colonel Carey L. Davis. The remaining sponsors and their respective cadet officer escorts are as follows: Linda Rosett and Winston Miller; Fran Lorant and Jackie Carpenter; Lyndra Page and Carson Turnage; Kay Cooper and Merrill Monk; Kay Woodruff and David Forte and Cathie Franklin and Bob Shaw.

### WEEKLY CALENDAR

**Saturday, Dec. 12**—ROTC Military Ball in the Moore Student Center at 8:30 p. m.

**Sunday, Dec. 13**—Coffee will be served in the Moore Student Center from 2:00-4:00 p. m.

**Monday, Dec. 14**—Annual Chi Omega Christmas party for the orphans.

**Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 15 and 16**—Barksdale Air Force Base will present a space-medicine film, "Physical Factors of the Space Environment," in Science 114 at 1:15 p. m. Anyone interested is invited to attend.

**Thursday, Dec. 17**—Kappa Sigma Christmas dance at the fraternity house.

**Friday, Dec. 18**—HOLIDAYS BEGIN!



Miss Judy Thurmon, center, reigned as sweetheart of the Gent's Day court last night at the dance given in honor of the basketball team. The other maids in the court were, left to right, Patsy West, Jen Houchin, Diane Camp and Lynn Knotts.

## Gent Team Elects Court, Sweetheart

Judy Thurmon, sophomore, reigned as sweetheart of the Centenary Gents basketball court at the Gents Day dance last night, Dec. 10. The four maids in the court were Diane Camp, Jen Houchin, Lynn Knotts, and Patsy West.

The members of the court were elected by the members of

the varsity basketball team, and were kept secret until disclosed at the dance last night after the first home game, with Miami. They were escorted by members of the team as follows: Miss Thurmon, escorted by Dale Van Bibber; Miss Camp, escorted by Andy Teal; Miss Houchin, escorted by Billy Eubanks; Miss Knotts, escorted by Jim Mitchell and Miss Patsy West, escorted by Ford King. Coach Orvis Sigler crowned Miss Thurmon sweetheart.

Other events of the Student Senate sponsored Gent's Day were recognition of the team in chapel and a pep rally yesterday afternoon in the amphitheatre. The Centenary Gentleman, (Dub Fletcher), entertained the fans with his antics during the half-time at the game that night.

Jerry Hawkins and his band played for the dance, given in honor of the team. The Student Senate made all the arrangements for the decorations, posters, refreshments and the throne and crown of the sweetheart.

### CHOIR NOTICE

The Centenary College Choir sings on KSLA-TV each Sunday afternoon at 4:00 p. m. Dr. "Cheesy" Voran, choir director, has asked that Centenary students come to the session and view the live video presentation as a studio audience.

## Campus Students To Participate In Religious Meeting

Nine Centenary students will be among the 3,000 from more than 100 countries who will attend the 18th Ecumenical Conference on the Christian World Mission, Dec. 27-Jan. 2, in Athens, Ohio.

The local delegation will consist of Joy Lambert, Marie Nelson, Sara Burroughs, Beverly Crawford, Janet Havelka, Bill Nelson, Daniel McMahon, Dennis Gibson, and Mitsuo Kitamura. Don Guynes, religious activities director, will accompany the group.

Conference sessions will be addressed by the Right Reverend Lesslie Newbigin, Bishop of the Church of South India, and the Reverend Martin Luther King, Montgomery, Ala., preacher.

Discussions will be centered around the critical areas of modern life: technological upheaval, racial tensions, new nationalisms, militant non-Christian faiths, and new patterns of obedience in mission.

"The Sign of Jonah," a drama, will be presented at the opening session of the Conference by the Union Theological Seminary players. Each evening programs will include a "Dramatic Thesis" in which the various arts—dance, film, music, poetry, drama—will be used to focus on the issue of the day.

The meeting will be the most inclusive student conference, secular or religious, that has ever been held in the western hemisphere. It is sponsored by the Commission of World Mission of the New National Student Christian Federation, formerly the Student Volunteer Movement. The NSCF includes the student Christian movements of the major American denominations and the YMCA and YWCA.

## Laura Allen Star Of Yule Ceremony

The annual Christmas lighting ceremony took place in front of James Dorm at 6 p. m., last Monday evening, Dec. 7. The program began with the Centenary Choir leading the singing of Christmas carols. Dean Allen's small daughter then sang some novelty Christmas songs, and a trio, Judy Hughes, Jill Landis, and Catherine Chesney performed.

Connie Gathright then gave a reading on the meaning of Christmas, after which "Dub" Fletcher, president of the student body, presented President Mickle with a gift on behalf of the student body, and Barbaran Hyde, co-ed vice-president of the student body, gave Mrs. Mickle a corsage.

The ceremony ended with the singing of more Christmas carols. Then many people attended the open house at Rotary Hall.



## IN AND OUT

With Chance Wayne

Bible, the class, is OUT. Bible, the book, is IN. But if someone conducted a poll, they'd probably find more people had read the Dead Sea Scrolls, which are OUT, by the way. The only OUT thing about chapel is the word "compulsory." Speaking of which, did you ever stop to think how many OUT words there are? For instance: pre-marital, postnasal, rehabilitate, term paper, fungus, humane, bibliography, etc.

Correction: last week we said that Jack Paar is IN. Well he's not; only his show is. Jack Paar thinks people are successes because he "discovered" them, but he has his terms reversed. Pseudo-Hemingway stories beginning "He was catching a much-needed cup of coffee when he first saw her. The hangover was almost gone," are OUT.

Fort Knox is IN. Gay Ninety's is OUT. River Rat Club—OUT. Danny's is IN. Joyce is IN. Dr. Johnson (why can't he be just plain Johnson?) is OUT. Well, not quite. We predict that more and more IN people will discover the Eighteenth Century. It was really quite an IN century after all was said and done and Johnson shut up long enough for Boswell to get a word in edgewise.

"No Exit" was IN. Four "IN" medals go to the principals. Some of the INest things are the ones popularity doesn't ruin, like Johnny Mathis, martinis, and hustling. Being tough is IN. Being old fashioned is OUT.

### THE TEN OUTEST ACHIEVEMENTS AT CERTAINLY H. S.:

1. Biggest school politician.
2. Most efficient institution reorganizer (We'll admit that a few do need reorganizing, though).
3. Cymbalist (band).
4. Symbolist (English department).
5. Most money lost at poker (institution reorganizers please ignore).
6. Great White Mother.
7. Dorm proctor.
8. Most cigarettes bummed.
9. Fewest chapel cuts of year.
10. Most chapel cuts of year.

Dear Chance:

I am curious to learn (1) whether librarians—the true breed, that is, not simpering types—are not included among those far enough out to be considered automatically in, and (2) why item three alone in your list of ten outest things in last Friday's CONGLOMERATE lacked terminal punctuation.

With doglike candor,

A Reader

Dear Reader:

As to your first question, all I said was that librarians are **usually** OUT; I'm as careful about generalization as anyone else—not to mention getting a libel suit by the National Association of Librarians or something. By the true breed I assume you mean one who actually reads books for himself (or herself), and this is IN. Naturally, simpering anything is OUT.

Now this second query is the kind that flatters me dangerously. It's such a treat to find out that someone actually reads you—yes, even down to the colons and commas. So I checked the proofs and lo and behold I actually had left out "terminal punctuation," that is to say, a period. Now the danger in flattery is that the flattered take it seriously, which I did. At the risk of laboring a point, I checked my Freud to find out about punctuation slips as a clue to that deeper meaning, but the oracle was silent on the matter. I appreciate your display of candor, reader, even though it has been a temptation not to tie tin cans to it, but not knowing whether my mistake means that I have an Oedipus and/or that I was toilet trained too early, I must conclude that it was chance, a slip of the finger, not the psyche, and refer you to item four above.

Chance

Well, it's been coming a long time. I've tried everything to forestall it: not stepping on cracks in the sidewalk, not lighting three cigarettes off one match, joining Alcoholics Unanimous, even going to Quest, but nothing can stage off the inevitable. I've pulled out all the stops, thrown the fat in the fire, and tried to run with the ball, but it's no use. I've gone back to First Principles, Ultimate Realities, and the Canons of Muddlecrass Morality, but I have to face facts. Be reality (or Reality) as it may, trends are trends, and I seem to with doglike candor be barking up the wrong one. (I enjoyed splitting that infinitive more than anything I've done in weeks. It's such a thrill to gleefully rupture a stuffy infinitive like that one.) But to return to a painful subject, it is my sad duty as a barometer of tides and tendencies to regretfully inform you, reader, that "IN" and "OUT" are OUT!!!

### EDITOR'S NOTE

Supporting the Centenary Gents is IN. Being a gent is IN. Assignments received before deadline are exceptionally IN, but very few ever seem to achieve the rating. Letters to the Editor are not only appreciated, but are definitely IN. Quoting Chance Wayne on campus is IN. Birthdays close to Christmas are OUT.

Being elected beauty is IN . . . (even being nominated is IN). It is really IN to announce election winners in the **Conglomerate**.

It is "horrendously" OUT to have to fill holes at the last minute with stuff like this.

P. S.

## Greeks Celebrate, Decorate Houses

All the Greeks on campus are busy spreading the Christmas spirit.

The Alpha Xi Delta's have decorated their house with a Christmas tree and various other Christmas symbols. The Alumnae club and the Mothers' Club are both giving parties for the chapter. At the Mothers' Club party the girls will exchange gifts with each other.

The Chi Omega's have centered their decorations around a silver tree placed in their big window. As the tree revolves colored lights are played on it. The inside of their house is decorated with pine and Christmas ornaments for their parties. Sunday afternoon the chapter is having supper together and exchanging gifts. After supper the girls are going caroling. Monday evening they are holding their annual party for orphans from age 13 to 18. They will be given presents and entertained by a skit.

Blue lights are the outside decorations of the Kappa Sigma house. Tonight the boys and their dates are gathering at the house for a decorating party. The decorations for the annual Christmas dance are to be in blue and silver. The roof of the house is to be done in blue metallic paper. In the center of the roof will be a silver star with blue spots trained on it. This dance will be held Thursday, December 17. Sunday afternoon the whole chapter and Santa Claus are going to entertain the crippled children at the Shriners' Hospital. Monday night the Sig's will be heard caroling around the campus.

The Kappa Alpha house is decorated with multi-color lights on the outside. On the inside there is a Christmas tree and plenty of mistletoe. The big surprise for the chapter was the stereo set the Mothers' Club presented them last Wednesday night. Each boy also received a small gift at this party. The chapter also presented their house mother and their Rose with presents.

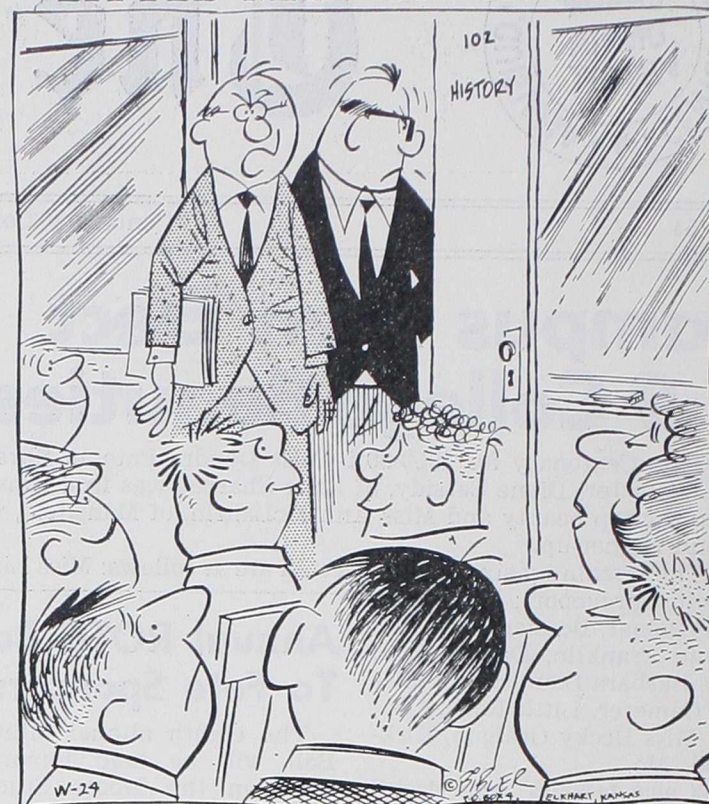
Lights brighten the Zeta Tau Alpha house on the outside, while the inside of the house is decorated with a tree and other Christmas symbols. Tomorrow the girls are having their chapter Christmas party. Each girl is to bring a present for the house. Big and little sisters will also exchange gifts. The annual party for the faculty children is being held Sunday afternoon at the Zeta house. The children will be entertained and each will receive a small gift.

## Brooks To Speak On Space Travel

Congressman Overton Brooks, Chairman of the House Committee on Science and Astronautics and the representative of the Fourth Congressional District of Louisiana to the United States Congress, will speak on campus in the Science Building, room 114, from 10:40 to 11:25 on Tuesday morning, Dec. 15. His subject will be the "advantages of putting man in space and problems related thereto."

President Joe J. Mickel will preside at this public lecture.

## LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



"DEAN BELLOW'S WOULD LIKE TO KNOW WHO OWNS THIS LITTLE FOREIGN JOB PARKED IN THE HALL?"

## Facets of Christmas

By KATHY MACK

We are caught up once more in the gay whirl of Christmas. The very air of it permeates our entirety and makes us tingle with excitement. The yearly sparkle returns to our eyes, and our voices lift with laughter. Our smiles broaden and our glances lock often in a renewed sense of our kinship to each other. Once again, as before Thanksgiving, we tuck classes and books into a wee corner of our mind and polish up the annual Christmas spirit until it glows with a new radiance.

We become jolly Saint Nicks, with or without round little bellies, snowy white beards, and red noses, but definitely with twinkles in our eyes and laughter in our hearts. We fly to town and lose ourselves in a flurry of buying, chuckling to ourselves. The surprise is ours to share, and so we do, in an air mysterious—hiding packages, smothering laughter, secretly spying on our friends.

As busy Santas, we decorate trees, dorms, rooms, preparing for open houses and parties. The welcoming spirit fills us. If we see ourselves reflected on someone's door or in a sleigh, we smile and silently exclaim, "How delightful!" What a joy it is to open a door or peer through a window and see a sparkling tree! What a delight to smell the fragrance of the fir! Our not-so-far-in-the-past childhood returns, and our hearts leap in anticipation of the night a soot-covered, round-bellied, old gentleman will emerge from a chimney.

At night we gaze up at the sky and marvel at the wonder of it all. Our eyes search the sky for a star, not just an ordinary star, but an especially bright one. The similar upward gaze of our souls often finds a single star, rare in its brilliance and splendor.

We look also for snow, pray for it even, as if Christmas were not complete without a white mantle—as if fir trees were not complete unless laden with frost. The uniqueness of the snowflake is symbolically the uniqueness of this season and the spirit it creates within us. The tiny facets of our life merge into one glorious song of Christmas.



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"Taking tea" while taking advantage of the coffee in the Moore Student Center on Sunday afternoon are several students. The coffee is held every Sunday afternoon from 2:00-4:00 p. m., is sponsored by Mrs. Nick and all students are invited to attend.

## Faculty Challenges Intramural's Team

Dr. Sidney W. Rice, head of the department of physical education, has recently received the following challenge from Dr. Donald W. Emerich, president of the Centenary Faculty Club.

"It has come to my attention as president of the Centenary College Faculty Club that a number of faculty members who have had previous playing experience in volleyball would very much like to demonstrate their proficiency by meeting the winning team of Intramural Volleyball. We feel that the Centenary College faculty will be able to field a team the equal of the best team entered in the Intramural Program . . ."

This challenge has been forwarded and Dean Howard Allen has been asked to serve as playing coach for the faculty team. Invitations will be issued to all faculty members, men and women, to participate in the bout, if the challenge is accepted.

The date of the Faculty vs. Student game will be announced at a later date.

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## SPORTS SPOTLIGHT

By RICK BIGGS

You missed it. That is all but 18 of you missed it. Missed what? The Rice game, of course. Those who went would have not traded places with anyone, not even to see the new wonder of electricity that was demonstrated just south of town. Eighteen people from Centenary in the huge Rice gym surrounded by hundreds of Rice supporters exhibited so much spirit that the Rice crowd clapped and the radio announcer commented on it. This is the kind of spirit that wins ball games and makes for great fun. Of course, Centenary may never be able to put on such a show as did Texas A&M, but at least the majority of the student body could exhibit some passing interest.

The bad thing about this column is that it appears after, instead of before, many of the games so that most of what we have to say is stale. However, if I may stick my neck out as I am writing this on Tuesday and the game with Miami will be Thursday and you are reading this on Friday, I would like to make a prediction. I may have to eat my words but this is the way that I feel.

Miami was last year the highest scoring team in its league and as far as I know, nationally. This year their record is much the same. This means that last night Centenary had one of its roughest games. I predict that if Thursday night there was a large portion of the student body present and its spirit was as great as its numbers, that today as you read this paper you may also be commenting on how we won the game. However if the team is just cheered on by the excited eighteen plus those who need a second activity for their sorority, well I can't foretell what will happen. We have a team with tremendous potential, an outstanding coach, magnificent backing from the alumni but what about the students?

This year Centenary has one of the toughest schedules ever.

This is only fitting for such a fine team. This year we have broken into the select ranks of the major university division of the NCAA. To make our games successful we all must participate. Even a great team will be greater if the players know that the work that they are doing is appreciated by their classmates. Get to know the boys better, find out their records, encourage them on campus as well as in the gym. If we do this we will be able to say that we had a great year. So much depends on each of us that it behoves us to do our utmost.

Pep rallies? You want them, the cheerleaders will have them.

Bus trips to the games? If you want them you can have them (that is unless almost two-hundred say they want them and then back out).

College spirit? If you want it you can have it easily.

A winning team? We've got it, if we will only support it.

We can have anything we want if we are willing to try for it.

### A & M VS. CENTENARY A&M—95; Centenary—38

	FG	FT	RB	PF	TP
Eubanks	2-7	1-1	5	5	5
Vasilopoulos	0-0	0-0	4	2	0
Van Bibber	1-8	3-5	4	1	5
Crawford	1-6	2-3	4	5	4
Cothorn	2-12	2-3	5	4	6
Mitchell	2-5	1-5	1	2	5
McHone	1-3	1-3	1	2	3
Dubose	3-4	0-1	1	0	6
King	1-1	2-2	0	0	4
Ramming	0-2	0-0	2	0	0
	0-0	0-0	1	0	0

### RICE VS. CENTENARY Centenary—86; Rice—77

	FGA	FG	FT	RB	PF	TP
Van Bibber	6-4	7-5	6	5	13	
Greene	10-3	11-8	7	3	14	
Crawford	15-8	9-4	7	4	20	
Cothorn	10-4	3-2	4	5	10	
Eubanks	12-6	14-12	4	3	24	
Vasilopoulos	1-1	5-3	4	0	5	
Mitchell	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	
Mason	1-0	1-0	2	1	0	

### TULANE VS. CENTENARY Centenary—79; Tulane—73

	FG	FT	PF	RB	TP
Van Bibber	3-8	1-3	5	4	7
Vasilopoulos	0-0	1-1	5	12	21
Crawford	8-15	5-5	5	14	19
Eubanks	8-17	3-3	2	3	18
Cothorn	7-16	4-6	3	11	13
Mitchell	1-5	0-1	0	0	0
Mason	0-0	0-0	0	1	0

FGA—Field Goal Attempts  
FG—Field Goals  
FT—Free Throws  
PF—Personal Fouls  
RB—Rebounds  
TP—Total Points

### GRADUATE EXAM

All seniors who are considering going to graduate school next year must not fail to take the graduate record examinations. These will be given on January 16, 1960 at Centenary. Applications must be completed before Jan. 1.

Applications must be made to:  
Educational Testing Service  
20 Nassau Street  
Princeton, N. J.

## Association Selects Poem For Printing

A poem, "Written in a Classroom at 11:35," by John O. Williams, senior, has been accepted for publication in the Annual Anthology of College Poetry. Announcement of the selection of the poem was received from Mr. Dennis Hartman, secretary of the National Poetry Association.

The Anthology is a compilation of the finest poetry written by the college men and women of America, representing every section of the country. Selections were made from thousands of poems submitted.

The poem submitted by Mr. Williams is as follows:

'Twas on an autumn morn when  
to my ear

First came that now familiar  
choral sound

That then, as now, I seemed to  
feel rebound

From wall to wall 'til no more  
could I hear

Its plaintive tone; but then at  
once a clear

And vibrant echo rose in answer  
round

About me 'til the room did fair  
abound

With wondrous music speaking  
of a fear

That often fills the hearts and  
minds of men.

I soon did feel an urge to join  
this choir

And, forced to yield, I added to  
the tune

A baritone that moaned a doleful  
yen

For that which man must have,  
come flood or fire;

The stomach's succor at the hour  
of noon.

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Then this swinging chick clued me in on the big news . . . an "SCA" was the the answer to my meditations. So now I make like a conformist and really put it on with the jolly whiskers routine. This "SCA" is frigid, man, frigid.

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The traditional Christmas spirit is radiating from this week's personalities Ginny Emerson, sophomore; Gene Koury, freshman; Marjorie Brothers, senior; and Tally Pledger, junior, as they busy themselves with gift selections.

## Personalities Express Yule Gift Preferences

By DOLLIE MILLER

"All I want for Christmas is a four point average," modestly requests Tally Pledger, junior. Tally admits that he also would like to awaken on Christmas morning and find a certain girl on campus stuffed in his stocking.

Born in India where he lived for 11 years before moving to the states, Tally recalls a frightening experience which occurred when he was seven years old. His father was called to

getting an 'A' in ping-pong 101." Gene Koury, freshman, comes to Centenary from Leesville, La. He is a pledge of Kappa Sigma fraternity, of the Newman club, and lists Chemistry and Zoology as his current favorite subjects.

"I think my pet peeve is having water thrown on me at 1:00 in the morning," he says, in reference to a "little prank" pulled on him

last week.

Gene likes music, baseball, football, hunting, fishing, and shooting. He recalls two rather unnerving incidents which occurred during recent hunting expeditions. Once he was attacked by six wild boars and another time caught in a hurricane while in a boat on a lake. "I escaped both times," he states.

### Asks for Rock

"I want a rock for Christmas," says Marjorie Brothers with a gleam in her eye. Marjorie is strongly attracted to rocks, but is equally repelled by spots. "I absolutely have a phobia about them," she says, "and it will be the flunking of me in Botany." She experiences a certain feeling of nausea whenever looking at too many spots for too long a time—"especially cell divisions."

Marjorie, who is a senior, is a member of Zeta Tau Alpha sorority, secretary of WRA, participates in intramurals, and finds time to work part time every day. She lists reading ("when she can find the time"), water skiing ("when I can find the time"), and tennis ("ditto") as favorites of hers.

### Student Art Work Displayed in SUB

There will be an art exhibit in the Moore Student Center this week displaying the work of students of Miss Elizabeth Friedenberg in the evening division art classes. Students whose work is on display are Berlita Compton, Mary E. Davis, Ruth L. Dickey, John Finklea, James Gleason, Stanley Thomas, Carl Jandstendt, Phillip Weikert, Coralie Alan, Phyllis Levy, Opal Brodnax, Pam Morehouse and James Stone.

The exhibit includes work done in charcoal, oils, encaustic and other media and features work in the modern media, especially polyvinyl plastic used in conjunction with perlite-vermiculite sand, silica flour and other modern materials. Explanations of each work accompany it in the exhibit.

The exhibit will be open to the public during the regular class hours through Saturday, Dec. 12. Willard Cooper, head of the art department, assisted Miss Friedenberg in planning the exhibit in keeping with the department's policy of showing student work at regular intervals.

### Dreams of Snow

"Oh, I want a private masseur (that is—a back scratcher) for Christmas!" dreams Ginny Emerson, sophomore. "I would also like some snow." Ginny is secretary of her class, a member of Chi Omega sorority, and in the intramurals program. "I like to swim, I love ping-pong, and I like to horseback ride, but I just don't know how—you know what I mean," she says. "I also like just about any kind of music—except Indian Suites (we just got through studying one in music appreciation)," she explains.

Ginny confesses that just about her worst fault is a habit she has of mistaking stray people on the street for someone she knows and chasing them for blocks before realizing the truth. "I just seem to have a knack for doing that," moans she.

### Personalized Paddle

"I want a monogrammed ping-pong paddle so that I can be sure of

## 'ROUND BIG C CENTENARY

By GINNY EMERSON

Tanne McDade, Mary Lou Gassen, and Nancy White were a few of those who journeyed to see the Gents play Rice last weekend in Houston.

Fred Willis hosted a group of Centenaryites Saturday night for supper at his home in Coushatta. Mary Beth Bomar, Jill Landis, Buddy Elkins, and Fuller Bazer were a few of those who were seen eating about the table at Fred's. They went to see the Christmas lights in Natchitoches.

The KA Parents' Club gave the local chapter a new Stereo at their banquet held at the KA House Wednesday night. Some of the members seen at the banquet were Bill Johnson, Ralph Akin, George Hamilton, and Carey Davis.

Carol Reichelt, Fred Schwendimann, Kay Cooper and Barry Nelson were some of those seen at the Kappa Sig House Saturday night popping corn and dancing to the stereo.

Nancy Evans, why did the only thing in Houston that impressed you have to be a mental hospital? Bill Bolen is curious.

Roger Williams entertained at his home in Natchitoches Saturday evening at dinner for some local Centenaryites who went to see the lighting there. Catherine Chesney, Wayne Stoddard, Butchie McCuiston, and Bobby Ross were some of those who ate dinner there. Margaret Reeves, Spiro Cosse, Elizabeth Reeves, and Rod Yeager listened to the election results on television.

Dollie Miller, Maury Johnson, Joy Camerer, and Marty Long viewed the lighting from the bridge. While others such as Barbara Boudier, Don Meisner, and Ann Moreneaux watched from the bridge.

New initiates of the Pershing Rifles are Robert Edler, Jimmy Jones, Ed Doremus, Al Pius, Ralph Storey, and Dennis Grigassy. Congratulations! Speaking of the PRs . . . what's this that happened on the hike . . . Tommy Carter?

Congratulations to Peggy Eaves and Bob Shaw on their engagement! Also, congratulations to Nancy White and Ron Radzikowski on the announcement of their marriage!

The Panhellenic Dance was a tremendous success; the skits were all so organized and produced so well. After the presentation of the skits of the various sororities, dancing to the tune of the Rhythm Lads took place.



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## Duggan Recipient Of Rhodes Award For Study Abroad

Hoyt N. Duggan, of Shreveport, has been awarded a coveted Rhodes Scholarship to Oxford University in England. Announcement of the receiving of the honor was made Saturday, Dec. 19, at a meeting of the Scholarship Committee in New Orleans.

Each year, only 32 such scholarships are awarded in the United States and this year Duggan was one of two Louisiana students to receive one. A senior English Literature major, Duggan studied one year at Baylor University and is currently in his third year at Centenary. He is a Graduate of Gaston, Tex., High School.

The scholarship is for two-years, starting in October, 1960, with cash stipends of \$2,150 a year, and Duggan will be allowed to study in any field in which the University of Oxford gives a degree.

Only 205 Rhodes Scholarships are awarded each year throughout the western world. A candidate must be an unmarried male between 19 and 25 years of age who has completed at least his sophomore year at a recognized university or college.

Selection is based on scholarship, character, interest in outdoor sports, interest in one's fellows and leadership.

## Schedule Planned For Science Exhibit In SUB, Jan. 15-31

"The Useful Atom," a special U. S. Atomic Energy Commission exhibit, will be on display in the Moore Student Center from Friday, Jan. 15, through Sunday, Jan. 31. It is a compact but highly informative display presenting the principles and applications of nuclear energy in a way understandable to the general public, Dr. Entrikin said. It includes eight colorful panels graphically describing the principal components of the atom, the nature of radiation and the use of radioactive isotopes in agriculture, industry and medicine.

In addition to the panel display, a component activated by the visitor explains the operation of a nuclear power plant. An animated model describes the fusion process in which atoms of light elements are combined at high temperatures to produce power—the opposite of the fission process, where power is produced by the splitting of atoms of heavy elements.

Dr. Entrikin said another striking portion of the exhibition is a three-foot model of the N. S. Savannah, the nation's first nuclear propelled merchant vessel, with a cutaway section showing the ship's atomic power plant.

The museum division of the Oak Ridge Institute of Nuclear Studies prepared the exhibit.



Hoyt N. Duggan, recent recipient of a coveted Rhodes scholarship, is discussing study plans for his forthcoming years at Oxford University with the head of his major department, Dr. E. M. Clark.

## Cooper Exhibits Works Of Students In Display

One of the finest and largest student art shows is now being exhibited in the Moore Student Center, the work of Centenary's own art department. Consisting of ninety-three works in a variety of media—water color, pastels, oil, crayon, pencil, pen and ink, charcoal, ink-resist, and dry point—the exhibit will continue through January 24. Students exhibiting are in their first, second, third, and fourth years of art study, and for many of them it is their first college show.

### Exhibits Appeal

The appeal of the exhibit is a consequence of the area it covers in style, which ranges from abstract to realistic to primitive, and the area it covers in subject matter. The subjects of the works include swamps, stockyards, fertilizer plants, figure compositions, still life, and pure design. The wide range of both might be accounted for by the wide backgrounds of the students, who come from Arizona, California, Mississippi, Missouri, Texas, Greece, and Louisiana.

### Student Artists

Students whose works are included in the exhibit are Linda Erickson, Cathie Franklin, Becky Graham, Alvah Holland, Louise Ibrahim, Martha Kelley, Mitzie Kleinhans, Amy Matthews, Anne McClure, Ann Morrisette, Susan Nethery, and Gerry Rawlinson.

Also, Carole Van Hoose, Kay Woodruff, Mary Gayer, Wayne Woodward, Linda Sue Brown, Mary Margaret Farmer, Crystal Ranney, Joe Sartor, Keith Simmons, Frankie Lachle, Marolyn Toynmon, Sue Williams, and George Gonzales.

## Clark's Reviews Appear in Print

The current issue of the publication, "Books Abroad," contains two book reviews by Dr. Edward Murray Clark, head of the English department.

Dr. Clark reviewed J. Mitchell Morse's work, "The Sympathetic Alien: James Joyce and Catholicism," a publication of the New York University Press, and "The Critical Writings of James Joyce," a collection of Joyce works edited by Ellsworth Mason and Richard Ellmann and published by Viking Press.

Dr. Clark holds his doctorate degree from the University of Oklahoma, whose university press published the scholarly publication. He has made an intensive study of Joyce and is considered an authority on the writer and his works.

The same edition of the publication contains reviews of T. S. Eliot's "The Elder Statesman" and "T. S. Eliot: A Symposium for His Seventieth Birthday," edited by Neville Braybrooke. Dr. John R. Willingham, professor of English who also holds his PhD from the University of Oklahoma, is the writer of the latter two reviews.

## ODK Initiates Five Into Beta Pi Circle

Omicron Delta Kappa, honorary scholarship and leadership fraternity, has tapped five campus students into membership in the Beta Pi circle. Those named to the honor just prior to the Christmas holidays were George Acton, Hoyt N. Duggan, Richard Hermann, Coan Knight and Steve Victory.

The honor is one of the highest which can be accorded a male student at Centenary, and selection is based on scholarship, contribution to campus life, leadership and potentials for future service. W. E. "Jackie" Carpenter, president of the campus chapter, presided at the initiation ceremonies.

Acton, a junior pre-medical student, was a summer student trainee at the Oak Ridge Institute of Nuclear Studies during the past summer. He is listed in "Who's Who," is president of Kappa Sigma fraternity, won the Outstanding Freshman and Chemistry Achievement awards during his first year at Centenary, is a member of the Baptist Student Union and is affiliated with several honorary organizations.

Recently named one of two Louisiana nominees for a Rhodes scholarship, Duggan is a senior student majoring in English. He attended Baylor University for one year before entering Centenary and is president of Alpha Chi, senior honorary scholastic group, and president of Sigma Tau Delta, professional English fraternity. He is a Distinguished Military Student and a member of "Who's Who."

Hermann is a junior humanities major and a member of the Honor Court. He is listed in "Who's Who," is president of the Methodist Student Movement, and is a member of Kappa Chi.

Knight, current editor of the Yoncopin, won a publications award in 1959. He is affiliated with Kappa Sigma fraternity, is a Distinguished Military Student, a member of the Interfraternity Council and current president of that organization. He is also listed in "Who's Who."

Victory, senior geology major, is chief justice of the Honor Court, a member of the Baptist Student Union and Kappa Sigma fraternity. He is listed in "Who's Who," is active in intramurals and varsity basketball and is a member of Sigma Gamma Epsilon, honorary geological fraternity.

## SNAPSHOTS FOR YONCOPIN

The Yoncopin Staff urges anyone with snapshots suitable for use in the yearbook, to please turn them in as soon as possible. They may be given to Margaret or Elizabeth Reaves, Hardin Hall; Mary Beth Bomar, James Dorm; and Coan Knight, Rotary Hall; or they may be pushed under the door of the Yoncopin Office on the second floor of the Student Center.

## Evening Division Slates Courses

The evening division during the spring semester, slated to begin on Monday, Feb. 1, is offering more than 75 courses in 18 fields of study.

Registration for evening division classes will be held from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. from Jan. 25 through 28 and from Feb. 1 through 4. After Monday, Feb. 1, a late registration fee will be charged. Feb. 8 is the final date for registering in the evening division, and no classes may be dropped after March 4 without incurring a penalty.

Courses are being offered during the spring semester in art, commerce, economics, education, English, general education, geography, geology, government, history, industrial technology, mathematics, physics, psychology, religion, sociology, Spanish and speech. Courses in accounting, business administration and secretarial science are included under the commerce department schedule.

## Association Selects Two Coed Pianist For Duo-exhibition

Abbie Terry and Linda Walters Byrd will be the only young Louisiana artists chosen to appear as guest performers at the southern division convention of the Music Teachers National Association in Louisville, Ky., Feb. 9 through 12. The duo-pianists, both senior piano majors from the studio of Joseph M. Running, have been piano accompanists for the Centenary College Choir for the past three years.

Miss Terry, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. Norman Terry of El Dorado, Ark., is a member of the Honor Court and is active in Phi Beta, honorary music and speech society. She is also a member of the Maroon Jackets, MSM, and is affiliated with Chi Omega social sorority. Miss Terry is listed in "Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities."

Mrs. Byrd is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Walters of Shreveport and the wife of Charles Byrd of Many. She is music chairman of the BSU, has served as both president and secretary of the Centenary branch of the American Guild of Organists and is active in Phi Beta and other campus societies.



## Movie Commercialization

By Kathy Mack

The United States has been expanding the freedom of expression in movies to include more of that which was formerly termed "pornographic," "vulgar," "crude," or "generally unacceptable from a moral standpoint." We have seen a growth toward a similar freedom in literature, also, mainly as a result of the rulings of the Supreme Court. Perhaps some of this new freedom of expression has been the result of European movies and their evident "naturalistic" or "realistic" outlook on sex.

There is one other reason, however, for this movement, namely commercialization, and its bid for the attention of the American public. The examples are so numerous that scarcely one individual can escape noticing the current vogue. Brigitte Bardot's movies are notorious and have been for several years. Two recent examples which are currently playing in theatres brought my attention to the matter of this sordid commercialization, namely, "Lil Abner" and "Never So Few." These two movies seem to exemplify the move toward bosomed beauties and more bosom revelation, on which the camera focuses for the more dramatic parts of the films.

I am not so much objecting to this new freedom of expression as to the attitude which the American public displays toward it. Though the majority of us go to the movies to be entertained, I doubt seriously whether this new display of sex can be called entertaining. Why? The answer, as I see it, is obvious, for sex is portrayed not as an organic part of the movie but as simply as a means of getting the public's ready cash. Sexual situations do not seem to suggest a growing sophistication or maturity on the part of the American public; they are really superficial parts of a movie and therefore lack any serious purpose of giving meaning to the story presented. Sex is only flaunted before the public like a strumpet.

By discussing with others some movies and the audience's reactions toward those movies, I discovered that the general attitude toward the more striking effects of sexual display has been one of laughter. Whether this laughter expresses sincere amusement at the revelation on screen or whether it expresses an escape into vicarious experience which we are too inhibited to allow ourselves cannot easily be determined, but one can make suppositions as to the nature of the public's laughter and what it reveals about their attitude toward sex.

If we are expressing true humor in our attitude, I am sincerely pleased and thankful; but I doubt that we are. I am more inclined to think that we are amused by sex in movies simply because it is a public exposure of what has hitherto been taboo. What has formerly been a part of private, intimate groups or of strip shows and bars is becoming a more public matter, but one which is distorted to a sordid extent. The dismaying fact is that we are pleased by the unwholesome display, not because it has been presented realistically, but because our attitudes have become distorted as to what is pornographic and what is amusing. Our attitude is perverted, if I may use that often misunderstood term; it is perverted to an attitude of "reversed Puritanism."

"So what?" you may question, "We're perverted, but ain't it fun?" Is it really fun? Isn't it rather that our lack of sex education has emphasized that sex is only a crude aspect of life, an unwholesome part of life? And will you not agree that this is a distortion of something that can and should have real meaning? Can we not conclude that the Hollywood presentation of sex is invalid because it is not a realistic viewpoint of that area of life? It lacks aesthetic purpose, if I may be pedantic; that is, it does not delight and instruct. Sex in movies is only a false idol, one built by those who want our money on their altars.

If we can only recognize what the movies have done to our viewpoint, we will have a basis for reevaluating our outlook. That will be the time when we will demand more than artificiality, more than display; that will be the time when we will demand a true revelation of the organic connection of sex to our lives. Then, perhaps, we will no longer have to prostitute ourselves to the movie industry or to our own perversion. We will have achieved that emotional maturity for which we have so long envied our European friends.

## EXAMINATION SCHEDULE

Classes	Examinations
7:50 MWF	Wednesday, January 20 8:00-10:30
2:10 MWF	10:30- 1:00
8:50 MWF	2:00- 4:30
10:10 MWF	Thursday, January 21 8:00-10:30
12:10 MWF	10:30- 1:00
11:10 MWF	2:00- 4:30
7:50 TT	Friday, January 22 8:00-10:30
1:10 TT	10:30- 1:00
9:15 TT	2:00- 4:30
11:35 TT	Saturday, January 23 8:00-10:30
2:10 TT	10:30- 1:00
1:10 MWF	2:00- 4:30

## National Honors 4 Kappa Sigma's

William E. "Jackie" Carpenter, of Winnsboro, has been chosen recipient of a \$100 leadership and scholarship award by Kappa Sigma, national social fraternity.

Carpenter, a senior English major, was favorite of the junior class last year; and is a member of the band, choir and Omicron Delta Kappa, national honorary leadership and service fraternity. He is active in tennis and other intramural sports and holds membership in numerous campus organizations.

The award is presented annually to a member of the fraternity who is a senior and has made an outstanding record in scholarship, student activities, athletics, fraternity activities and ROTC.

Fred Willis of Couthatta and Coan Knight of Leesville were awarded certificates of honor by the national fraternity as runners-up for the award.

A \$50 check and honor certificate was awarded to George Acton of Plain Dealing, as the junior member of the fraternity exemplifying the same qualities of scholarship, leadership and service. Acton won the outstanding freshman award, the chemistry achievement award, is a member of numerous campus groups, was a student trainee at Oak Ridge Institute of Nuclear Studies during the past year and will serve as president of the campus chapter of Kappa Sigma for next year.

## Students Review Heart Research

Students who attended the Louisiana Heart Research Program Friday, Dec. 11, presented a seminar Thursday, Jan. 14, in the Science auditorium.

The seminar included reports by the four students from Centenary College who observed research experiments and demonstrations at the Louisiana School of Medicine and the Tulane Medical School. All the facilities of these schools were made available to the students attending the program. Rod Yeager and Shelton Powers observed at the Tulane Medical School. Carlton Chambers visited the Tulane Freshman Medical School on the campus and Lon McAnally attended programs at the uptown L. S. U. School of Medicine.

The program at these two schools covered a wide range of topics encompassing many fields of science and presenting many current problems in research. There were demonstrations of an Electronic Microscope, a Perfusion (Heart-Lung) Machine, and Micrometer. Experiments included such subjects as arteriosclerosis, regeneration of the limbs of amphibians, neurology, iron-metabolism, endocrinology, and respiration. The students also witnessed a closed-circuit television program concerning the physiology of human respiration.

The day's program was concluded with a dinner at Joseff's on Bourbon Street, attended by 23 other former Centenary students now studying at medical and dental schools in New Orleans and the Tulane Graduate School.

## LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS

THE FINAL  
EXAM  
AS SEEN BY



THE STUDENT:  
WHO CRAMMED  
ALL NIGHT---



--- WHO CHEATS ---



--- WHO USES CRIB  
NOTES ---



--- WHO STUDIED THE  
WRONG MATERIAL ---



--- WHO DIDN'T  
STUDY ---



--- WHO HAS A COPY  
OF THE TEST ---

## Honor Court Reminder

At this time of the year, before finals, the Honor Court would like to take the opportunity to remind the student body of the existence of the honor system and the techniques that a person should use when a violation of the honor code is observed.

Many times a person is obviously guilty to the satisfaction of a witness but is not punished because insufficient evidence is presented to the Honor Court to justify their conviction. If each witness will therefore adhere to the following suggestions, it will allow the Honor Court to operate much more efficiently and quickly.

1. Be observant—know everyone that seems to be involved and the exact method they are using. Giving aid is the same offense as receiving aid.
2. Give a warning—tap your pencil to notify the person under suspicion that he is being observed.
3. Get plural witnesses—point out the violation to one or more persons around you.
4. Report the violation to a member of the Honor Court (not a teacher) immediately and do not discuss the case with anyone.

Steve Victory  
Chief Justice, Honor Court

## LETTERS...

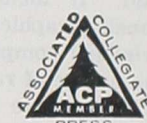
In thought for the week: Next week is OUT.

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## 10 Active Students Join Gym Team

Centenary's first official gymnastic season began on Monday, Jan. 11. Pre-season try-outs were held on Tuesday, Dec. 14, with the following individuals qualifying for team positions:

Donald Farley, Freshman, Thibodaux, La.; Robert Edler, Freshman, Shreveport, La.; Larry Madden, Sophomore, Shreveport, La.; Bill Nelson, Freshman, Bastrop, La.; Charles McCartney, Freshman, Leesville, La.; Walter Low, Freshman, Jennings, La.; Hoyt Bain, Freshman, Shreveport, La.

Final try-outs for three additional positions were held on Monday, Jan. 11, since a number of students apparently did not know about the pre-season try-out date. Only freshmen and sophomores are encouraged to try-out.

All gymnastic team members are eligible to receive one credit in Physical Education and a letter award.

Centenary will compete in a recently formed Gymnastic League made up of teams from Baylor University, Texas A. & M., Northwestern State College of Louisiana, S. L. I., and L. S. U. The competitive schedule for the spring of 1960 is listed as follows:

March 12—Southern States Gymnastic Festival—S. L. I.

March 19—Mid South Intercollegiate Gymnastic Meet—N. S. C.

March 26—Tri-College Meet (Texas A. & M., Baylor, and Centenary)—Home.

April 1—Southern AAU Gymnastic Championships—S. L. I.

April 23—Southwestern AAU Gymnastic Meet—Dallas, Texas.

## Gents Victorious In Mobile, 76-72

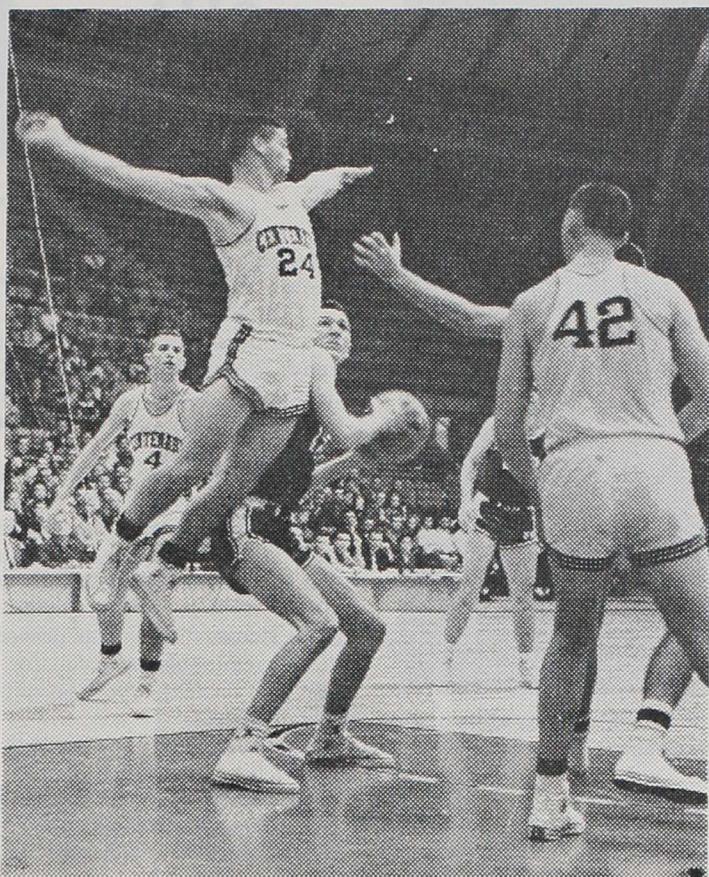
The Centenary Gentlemen defeated the Spring Hill Badgers with a score of 76 to 72 in Mobile, Ala., on Jan. 9, after a running start made by Jackie Crawford's first three field goals.

Crawford's second field goal gave the Gents a 4-2 lead and put them ahead to stay. After ten minutes of play, the Centenary team stretched its lead to 19-10 with Larry Greene and Ford King helping Crawford. The Badgers cut this margin to five points with seven minutes left in the half, but the Gents pulled out ahead by eight points at intermission time.

The second half sparked with Greene and Glen Cothorn and King, when the Gents had a 49-33 edge with 13 minutes left in the game. The Gent margin was cut to 12 points with nine minutes left to play.

Crawford, who turned in a fine game under both boards, wound up as the game's high man with 22 points. Cothorn and Greene, the "little men," had 14 and 16 points respectively. Promoted to starting duty, King joined the trio in the double figure circle with 11 points. Center John Zarcone led the Badgers with 17 points.

This contest marked the sixth win of the year for the Gents, with as many losses.



Demonstrating the defensive techniques so strongly stressed by Coach Orvis Sigler, is number 24, Larry Greene, backed up by teammates Crawford and Eubanks. This action was caught during the recent Gulf South Classic.

## Gents Ease Past Wolves With 3-Point Win Margin

The Gents gained the "New Orleans City Championship" after defeating Loyola Monday, Jan. 11, and Tulane last month.

Sophomore Ford King saved the day for Centenary when he sank four field goals in the last five minutes to send the Gents to an exciting 71-68 victory over the Loyola Wolves. The last ten seconds of play were wasted as the Wolves tried frantically to put the ball in bounds under their own basket.

Centenary overcame a six-point deficit and the loss of three players via fouls to outfinish the Wolf-pack. Those lost by fouls were Jackie Crawford, starting pivot who fouled out with 17 minutes left to play, Larry Greene and Billy Eubanks.

King broke a 59-59 tie with five and a half minutes remaining; and was followed by a matching Loyola score. King came back with a push shot and Dale Van Bibber scored on a tap to vault the Gents into a 65-61 lead. The Wolves sank a couple of free tosses before King vaulted back with a 30-footer falling away from the goal.

The Gents commanded the game with 69-63 after Glenn Cothorn's score, with three minutes left. With only ten seconds remaining, the angry, basket-hungry Wolves had the ball out of bounds under their basket.

In the end, Van Bibber and Greene rang up 17 apiece, while Cothorn followed with 12 and King with 10. Centenary connected on 50 per cent of its floor shots, hitting 31 of 62. Loyola had a 43.5 shooting percentage with 20 out of 46.

The Wolves were outscored 31-20 from the field, and cashed on 28 of 35 chances from the foul line. The Gents committed 23 personals and made nine of 13 free shots.

The lead changed hands five times and the game was tied on 10 occasions before Larry Trunk took charge with five minutes re-

maining in the half. It was a fast-breaking game until the final minute and 20 seconds when the Wolves stalled for one shot—and missed!

LOYOLA (68)				
	FG	FT	PF	TP
Henneberger	1	7-5	2	7
Weber	1	3-2	3	4
Tschirn	4	0-0	1	8
Radvilas	6	6-4	2	16
Trunk	6	7-7	1	19
Flynn	2	10-8	1	12
Morgan	0	2-2	0	2
Totals	20	35-28	10	68
CENTENARY (71)				
	FG	FT	PF	TP
Greene	7	3-3	5	17
Eubanks	1	0-0	5	2
King	4	2-2	2	10
Crawford	4	0-0	5	8
Cothorn	5	4-2	2	12
Van Bibber	8	2-1	3	17
DuBose	0	0-0	0	0
Mason	2	2-1	1	5
Vasilopoulos	0	0-0	0	0
Totals	31	13-9	23	71

## INTRAMURAL RESULTS

### HANDBALL SINGLES

First Place—Steve Victory; Second Place—Bill Sanders; Third Place—Jerry Jouett and Spanky McCoy.

### HANDBALL DOUBLES

First Place—Steve Victory and Bill Sanders; Second Place—Spanky McCoy and Jerry Jouett; Third Place—Gibson and Carter, and Gouthiere and Miller.

### TABLE TENNIS SINGLES

First Place—Don Callen; Second Place—Bill Sanders; Third Place—Steve Victory and Bradford Mayo.

### TABLE TENNIS DOUBLES

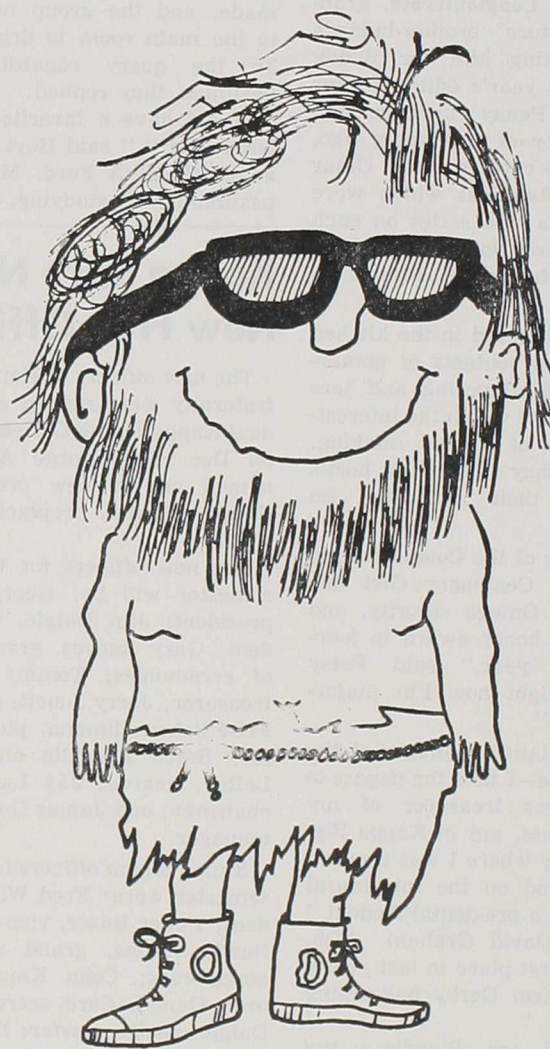
First Place—Bill Sanders and Steve Victory; Second Place—Don Callen and Jim Potter; Third Place—Larry Green and Ford King, and Bradford Mayo and Ed-die Neilson.

## Gulf South Classic Results

Game	Teams	High Point Man	Points	Score	Field Goal %
1.	Eastern Kentucky	Carl Cole	33	86	49.3
	Hamline	Chuck Wennerlynd	20	73	36.5
2.	Northwestern	Larry Skinner	18	80	37.5
	Hardin-Simmons	Joe Arden	12	65	36.1
3.	Louisiana Tech	Joe Daigle	16	67	30.3
	Washington U. of St. Louis	Hal Patton	21	57	34.5
4.	Centenary	Jackie Crawford	25	64	35.4
	George Washington U.	Jon Feldman	27	76	45.2
5.	Washington U. of St. Louis	Hal Patton	25	77	35.9
	Hamline	Hopfenspirger	29	78	41.4
6.	Centenary	Jackie Crawford	23	69	39.7
	Hardin-Simmons	Milton Martin	19	72	41.7
7.	Eastern Kentucky	Jack Upchurch	20	74	41.7
	Louisiana Tech	Jack Moreland	26	65	46.4
8.	Northwestern	Jeuitt Weldon	20	64	41.4
	George Washington U.	Dick Markowitz	15	51	32.8
9.	Centenary	Jackie Crawford	27	65	36.8
	Washington U. of St. Louis	Kent Lattig	14	51	27.3
10.	Louisiana Tech	Ray Germany	18	63	32.2
	George Washington U.	Ralph Kuntz	15	66	34.4
11.	Hardin-Simmons				
	Hamline				
12.	Northwestern	Gene Wright	19	60	41.2
	Eastern Kentucky	Carl Cole	15	59	38.1

## COOLSVILLE!

I just heard about the wildest, like swinging, coffee pad "THE CRADLE OF SOUND" opening in Shreveport, Friday evening, January 29th, during mid-semester! Live entertainment every night with delicious, weird-like coffees, teas, and passion drinks. Man, like all us Ph.D. cats will be digging these happenings, skoobe-do! (How about you, dad?)



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Gazing into the mystic realms of the Rubaiyat, oriental coffee house, are this week's personalities: Hoyt Bain, freshman; Penny Hawkins, senior; Patsy Stamps, sophomore, and David Graham, junior. The lucky four were treated to coffee at the house and were giventips on the brewing of it.

### Personalities

## Four Visit Coffee House

Four miserable, rain-logged figures huddled before the door of Shreveport's newest and as yet most unique cafe, the Rubaiyat coffee house, waiting for the doors to open. It was worth the wait.

Patsy Stamps, Hoyt Bain, Penny Hawkins and David Graham were greeted by co-owner Harold Willis, and shown into a long, candle-lit, shoulder-width room. Oriental tapestries, hung on the walls, added to the exotic atmosphere. In one corner of the room a white Buddha sat in a glass case, bringing luck to anyone bold enough to rub its fat belly.

Patsy, sophomore and current editor of the **Conglomerate**, grabbed her future brother-in-law's hand, mistaking him for Buddy Graham, last year's editor, in her excitement. Penny Hawkins, senior and editor of two years ago, examined the excerpts from Omar Khayyam's **Rubaiyat** which were inscribed in a thin script on each table. "Where do I come in?" Hoyt Bain, freshman, wanted to know.

The four gathered in the kitchen to explore the contents of numerous bottles of flavoring and jars of coffee, and to watch the interesting process of coffee making. Meanwhile, they filled their host's ears with their activities on campus.

"I'm editor of the **Conglomerate**, am a Kinel Centenary Girl this year, in Chi Omega sorority, and received the honor award in journalism last year," said Patsy Stamps. "Right now I'm majoring in math."

"I'm circulation manager of the **Conglomerate**—I take the papers to the SUB—was treasurer of my freshman class, am in Kappa Sigma fraternity where I was a guard this year, and on the intramural council. I'm a pre-dental student," This from David Graham. "Oh, yes, I won first place in last year's Alpha Xi Farm Derby hog-calling contest."

"Just call me Blondie — my friends do," said Penny Hawkins. "I'm majoring in commerce, am vice-president of Chi Omega sorority, vice-president of the Maroon Jackets, Who's Who, in the Newman club, Alpha Chi, DTO (commerce fraternity), on the Dormitory Council and (puff) in bridge intramurals."

"I'm just there," said Hoyt. "I carry a pencil and books and

notes. That's all. That's enough. I don't really have a major. You can say I'm in pre-law, but I'm almost sure I don't want to be a lawyer. I tell people that to make them shut up."

By that time the coffee was made, and the group moved out to the main room to drink theirs. To the query regarding their pastimes, they replied:

"I did have a favorite pastime, but I sold it," said Hoyt. "It was an old Model 'A' Ford. My favorite pastime now is studying, and that's

a lie. I like to water-ski."

"My main interests are Buddy, sewing, reading, and my baby blue '47 Ford," said Patsy.

"I like fishing and any kind of sports," said David. "Mostly baseball."

"Well, I don't know what you could say I like," moaned Penny. "I'm not sporty at all. I like to loaf."

The quartet had finished their coffee and then began a series of poses for Jerry Mitchell, the **Conglomerate** photographer. After several hammy smiles and a few corny jokes, the pictures were completed, and all emerged into the outdoors to become, once again, four miserable figures in the rain.

NOTE: The regular form of the **Conglomerate** personality stories was altered this issue to let the readers know of one of the exciting weekly trips made by personality editor Dollie Miller and her faithful photographer Jerry Mitchell in preparing pictures of the personalities. Harold Willis and Bob Stacey, co-owners of Shreveport's new Rubaiyat Coffee House, graciously allowed for the use of their facilities as background for the picture and treated the group to exotic oriental coffees.

### BRIDGE CLASS

A non-credit night course in Point Count Bridge will be offered if enough people are interested; a minimum of 16 students is required for the classes. The course will be held one night per week for ten consecutive weeks, at a cost of ten dollars per student. Instructors will be Mrs. Don Thomas and Mrs. Wilfred Buckelew of the M and M Bridge Class. If interested contact Mrs. Nick.

### Kappa Sig's Name New Frat Officers

The new officers of Kappa Sigma fraternity were named at the annual Kappa Sigma Christmas party on Dec. 17. George Acton was named as the new president of Kappa Sigma, replacing Fred Willis.

The new officers for the spring semester will be: George Acton, president; Jim Daigle, vice-president; Gary Reeves, grand master of ceremonies; Tommy Hickcox, treasurer; Jerry Jouett, secretary; Fred Schwendimann, pledge master; Butch Franklin and George LeRay, guards; Jay Lang, social chairman, and James Goins, house manager.

Kappa Sigma officers for the Fall semester were: Fred Willis, president; Fuller Bazer, vice-president; Buddy Elkins, grand master of ceremonies; Coan Knight, treasurer; Gene LaCaze, secretary; Jim Daigle, pledge master; David Graham and Jay Lang, guards; Theo Klemann, social chairman; Terrell Rourke, house manager; and Rod Yeager, assistant pledge master.

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## 'ROUND BIG C ENTENARY

By GINNY EMERSON

Seen in gay ole New Orleans over the Christmas holidays were a few of Centenaryites . . . **Tommy Hickcox, Armand Daigle, Delton Gwinn, and Steve Victory.**

On the local Debutante front . . . **Pete Boggs** escorted one of the debutantes. **Marilyn Hendrick** was escorted by **Dick Morehead.** Seen sipping PUNCH at the Ball were **Pat Gustine, George Acton, Jerry Jouett, and Jim Daigle.**

**Ann Moreneaux** and **Jon Oliver** entertained at an Open House at Ann's home during the holidays. **Gail Delaney, Ralph Akin, Linda Sue Brown, and Gene Evers** were a few of those seen enjoying the Open House. That night proved to be a memorable occasion for the host and hostess, who were pinned that evening.

The Candlelight Ceremony at the Chi O house started out after the holidays with two new engagement rings. **Jen Houchin** and **Anne Morrisette** were the honorees at the ceremony this past Monday morning. **Mary Beth Bomar** was an honoree right before the holidays began. Congratulations!

**Chance Wayne** visited with his cousin, I. D. Morris, on Long Island and found time to go to Detroit for Annette Ford's coming-out party. So INFORMED SOURCES tell us.

More engagement news . . . **Melba Smith** and **Carey Davis;** and **Judy French.** Pinee news . . . **Carol Ann Winning.**

**Paula Martin, Catherine Chesney, Ann Hardtner, and Nancy**

### Canterbury Club Elects Officers

The members of the Canterbury Club have elected Joe Chambers to serve them as president for the coming semester. Working with him will be Gary Reeves, vice-president; Kathy Gardner, secretary; Vickie Clifford, treasurer; Ann Meredith, publicity chairman, and Alan Rogers, chaplain.

The Canterbury Club meets every Wednesday evening at 6 p.m. and all Episcopalians are invited to attend their sessions.

### MISTAKEN COAT

Someone at the Kappa Sigma Christmas party picked up the wrong white coat by mistake. Judy McClenaghan would like to exchange the coat she has for the right one. Anyone (with the wrong white coat) is urged to contact Judy at 7-5316 or Steve Victory.

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## Concordia Choir to Present Concert



The world-famed Concordia College Choir from Minnesota will be featured as a part of the current Lyceum program Monday, Feb. 8, in the Brown Memorial Chapel at 9:45 A. M.

### Lyceum Features Minnesota Choir On Feb. 8 Sing

The sixty-five singers of the world-famed Concordia College Choir of Moorhead, Minn., directed by Paul J. Christiansen, will present concerts here Sunday and Monday, Feb. 7 and 8. The first concert will be under auspices of Shreveport Lutheran churches and their pastors and the second a feature of the 1959-60 Lyceum Series.

#### TWO PROGRAMS

The initial concert, open to the public without charge, will be presented at 8:30 p. m. in the Brown Memorial Chapel on the local campus with the following churches and pastors serving as sponsors: St. Paul's Lutheran Church, the Rev. Lothar Kleinhans, pastor; Redeemer, the Rev. Robert J. Werberig; Our Saviour, the Rev. Santo L. Puglia; First Lutheran, the Rev. Arthur Bliese, and Trinity, the Rev. Wesley Baasen. A free will offering will be taken during the intermission at the concert.

The second program will be presented Monday, Feb. 8, at 9:45 p. m. in the Brown Memorial Chapel with Joseph M. Running, director of the school of music and chairman of the Lyceum committee presiding. The choir will repeat its Sunday evening program at this time before members of the faculty, administration, students and guests.

#### INCLUDE BACH

Representative works of Bach and pre-Bach composers always are included on the programs of the Concordia College Choir. Director Christiansen believes that "not since the time of Palestrina and Bach have the truly great composers been so devoted to the art of church music."

"Judged by any standards," he says, "the works of these men stand on their own merits as creative art, perfect in form and remarkable in inventive imagination."

Having toured Scandinavia and Europe, the Concordia Choir has been accorded high praise from critics in all parts of the world. The New York Herald Tribune critic said the choir's performance in that city was "choral singing of almost uncanny mechanical excellence" and that the ensemble's "intonation was virtually flawless and its diction was ever clear."

"The very best choral concert Denver has heard in many and many a day was offered by the Concordia College Choir, directed by Paul J. Christiansen," said the Denver Post critic.

### Hawaiian Lecturer Discusses Biology

Dr. Takashi Makinodan, a lecturer on the Traveling Lecture Program of the Biology Division of Oak Ridge National Laboratory, arrived at Centenary yesterday afternoon, Feb. 4, and will remain until Saturday morning.

The object of the Traveling Lecture Program is to share with colleges and universities the results of research undertaken at the laboratory, as well as discuss recent developments in these fields.

Last night, Dr. Makinodan gave an informal talk to a group of biology students after having dinner with them in the college cafeteria. Friday morning, Dr. Makinodan lectured at ten o'clock in room 114 of the Science Building on the subject of: "An Immunological Approach to Biologic Problems." The lecture was open to the public and was not highly technical for the benefit of interested non-biology majors. Dr. Makinodan was available all Friday morning for conferences and consultations.

Dr. Makinodan, who is from Hilo, Hawaii, is now the Director of Radiation Immunology of the Biology Division of Oak Ridge National Laboratory. Charles Byrd, president of Alpha Epsilon Delta at Centenary, worked with Dr. Makinodan last summer as a Student Trainee.

## Campus Makes Plans For Homecoming Celebration

Plans are now under way for a festive homecoming celebration which will last two days. The celebration is to be held in connection with the basketball game between the Gents and the Louisiana Tech Bulldogs on Friday, Feb. 19.

The game at 8 p. m. at the Hirsch Memorial Youth Center at the Louisiana State Fair Grounds will highlight the Friday program, Dean Allen, chairman of the planning committee, said. A gymnastics exhibition will be staged during the half-time, and a round-up of alumni, faculty members and students will follow at the Moore Student Center.

#### STYLE SHOW

A style show, to be sponsored by the local chapter of the American Assn. of University Women, will open the Saturday program on Feb. 20. The event will begin at 10:30 in the Moore Student Center.

Plans for a departmental open house at 10:00 a. m. are also being made, but details for this phase of the program have not yet been completed.

#### ALUMNI LUNCHEON

At 12:30 p. m., an alumni luncheon will be served in the Moore Student Center, and a fine arts montage will take place at 2 p. m. in the Marjorie Lyons Playhouse. Tours of the campus and its buildings will be conducted at 3 p. m. for those interested, and a reception will be held in the social rooms of the T. L. James Memorial Dormitory at 4 p. m.

Centenary's three chapters of national sororities, Alpha Xi Del-

ta, Chi Omega, and Zeta Tau Alpha, will hold open houses at their chapter homes for all visitors, students and faculty members at

### College Library Receives Grant

A \$500 grant has been awarded to the Centenary College Library from funds provided by the U. S. Steel Foundation, Inc., and awarded through the Association of College and Research Libraries.

Robert W. Orr, chairman of the ACRL committee on grants, notified Dr. Joe J. Mickle, president, and Mrs. Alice Alben, acting head librarian, of the grant. The check has already been received on campus.

Centenary is one of the 320 colleges which made application for a grant, and 74 were awarded from the U. S. Steel Foundation funds. Mrs. Alben said the check is to be used for the purchase of American novels from the period of 1800 to 1914, and the library has been asked to make a brief report on its purchases later in the year.

7 p. m. The two chapters of national fraternities, Kappa Alpha and Kappa Sigma, are planning similar open houses at their homes for the same hour.

The Haynes Memorial Gymnasium will be the scene of a Mardi Gras program to be held at 8 p. m. Following the program an alumni-student dance will be held in the gym.

#### OPEN TO ALUMS

Dean Allen said all events of the two-day program will be open to all former Centenary students and graduates of the college and it is hoped that a number of out-of-town alumni will be able to return to the campus for the celebration.

#### COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Those working with Dean Allen on the homecoming committee are Dean Leroy Vogel, Dr. A. C. Voran, Mrs. Fannie Lee Nichols, Dean Helen Lineberger, Barry Johnson of the physical education department and L. D. "Dub" Fletcher, representing the Student Senate. The Student Senate is co-operating with the faculty committee in planning the celebration.

#### WEEKLY CALENDAR

**Sunday, Feb. 7**—Public concert by Concordia College Choir  
**Monday, Feb. 8**—Lyceum program in Brown Memorial Chapel at 9:45 a. m. Concordia College Choir.

—Final day for enrolling or changing schedules.



## A Critique of Le Petit Sambo Noir

In every great work of art there are several levels of meaning. Beneath the first level of reference, the mere surface specifics, lies a vast reservoir of hidden meanings.

A careful reader of *Le Petit Sambo Noir* is struck at once by the conceptual images of blue and green. The little colored boy is said to have a coat of blue, and it is important to note that even the sky is spoken of as blue. This color is, of course, symbolic of the deadening and artificial influence of intellectualism. The green grass and trousers are symbolic of the mystical life-giving forces of nature. These forces are in a life-and-death struggle for domination in the character of Sambo, as is indicated by the close proximity of the trousers to the coat. It is significant that as the novel begins, the sky and the jacket are the dominant elements, as the fact that they are on top of any picture which we may have of Sambo indicates.

Later, as Sambo wanders into the jungle and is confronted by the tigers, themselves symbols of the cruelly impersonal forces of nature, he is forced to strip off both his intellectualism (the jacket) and somewhat unjustly, his virility (the trousers).

It is at this point that Sambo becomes a wounded hero. Like Nick Adams, Sambo is isolated and hurt. The lost trousers and jacket corroborate the theme of separation, the motif of lostness and chaos. Divorced from any means of finding reality, Sambo, disillusioned and naked, wanders aimlessly through the jungle in a seemingly fruitless quest of reality. He is Huck without the solace of the river.

Again Sambo encounters the tigers. This time, however, those impartial forces that had stripped him of hope and love and meaning—and clothing—are now engaged in a furious struggle. (It is perhaps not inappropriate to compare the fighting of the tigers with the storm in *Lear*.) At this moment Sambo achieves meaning and his moment of illumination, for as the tigers circle madly about the tree (this has obvious Freudian overtones, but I must leave some creative work to the reader), they melt themselves into tiger butter. This liquid ring of golden butter is symbolic of the fluidity of life and time becomes a great primitive earth mother that will nourish her child.

This great novel, despite minor structural flaws, is one that will continue to be read and loved for generations. Its importance lies in the character of Sambo, who is an archetypal figure who appears again and again in western literature. Examples of the Sambo archetype are Othello, Jim in "Huckleberry Finn," Pip in "Moby Dick," and Porgy.

The novel is one of social protest. A powerful expression of the artist's revolt against the mechanized and soulless western society, it asserts proudly the dignity of the individual and castigates severely a degenerate society that overwhelms the individual.

Written in a detached, objective style, the novel might be called naturalistic, because the truly monumental character of Sambo is the product of natural laws working inexorably toward the final proud statement . . . "Let them go to school with us."

—Hoyt N. Duggan

## English Proficiency Test

The English Proficiency Test will be given on Tuesday, February 16, 1960, in Room 114 of the Science Building from 7:50 a. m. till 9:50 a. m. The following people must take the test:

1. All juniors who do not have an average of B or better in freshman English.
2. All seniors who should have taken it last year but did not do so.
3. Second semester sophomores who do not have the required average in freshman English and who wish to take it.
4. Any candidate for a degree at Centenary who may have previously failed the test. NOTE: Any candidate who has taken additional courses or work in English to make up for his deficiency in English must take the test a second time and pass it.

### THE PASSING OF THIS TEST IS A REQUIREMENT FOR GRADUATION

Each student should bring to the examination room lined notebook paper, fountain pen, ink, blotter, and a dictionary.

Any inquiries about the examination may be directed to Dr. Lee Morgan of the English Department.

## REVISED CALENDAR

### SPRING SEMESTER, 1960

Feb. 1, Monday—8:30 A. M. - 4:00 P. M.	Registration
Feb. 2, Tuesday—8:00 A. M.	Classwork begins
Feb. 8, Monday	Last day to enroll or change sections
March 4, Friday	Last day to drop classes without a penalty
March 26, Saturday—12 Noon	Mid-Semester reports due in Dean's Office
April 14, Thursday—10:00 P. M.	Easter recess begins
April 18, Monday—8:00 A. M.	Easter recess ends
May 16, Monday—8:00 A. M.	Spring Semester tests begin
May 20, Friday—5:00 P. M.	Spring Semester tests end
May 22, Sunday—10:50 A. M.	Baccalaureate sermon
May 22, Sunday—8:00 P. M.	Commencement exercises
May 23, Monday—12:00 Noon	Dormitories close

## Freshman Follies Will Raise Funds For Name Band

The Freshman Follies of 1960, to be held in the playhouse, is being presented by the freshman class to raise money for the big name band. The program is to consist of scores from three musicals: *South Pacific*, *Oklahoma*, and *Annie Get Your Gun*.

The idea for the musical was originated in the freshman class meeting by Barry Hope. A central steering committee of Sonnie Elder, Al Pius, Cathy Franklin, Jackie Rosett, Bobbette Oken, Barry Hope, and Ray Chabeau was formed to co-ordinate the show. This committee held auditions and cast the parts.

The members of the cast are as follows:

### ANNIE GET YOUR GUN

Annie . . . . . Lorine Crenshaw  
Frank . . . . . Ez Fatter  
Davenport . . . . . Jerry La Bruey  
Sittin' Bull . . . . . Tom Arnoldi  
Buffalo Bill . . . . . Barry Hope  
Children . . . . . Cathy Franklin,  
Jean Surkam

### OKLAHOMA

Laurey . . . . . Betsy Gould  
Curley . . . . . Barry Hope  
Aunt Eller . . . . . Jean Netterville  
Will Parker . . . . . Ryan Horton  
Ado Annie . . . . . Nancy Evans  
Jud . . . . . Rick Biggs

### SOUTH PACIFIC

Nellie . . . . . Lyndra Pate  
French Planter . . . . . Ez Fatter  
Cable . . . . . Ray Chabeau  
Bloody Mary . . . . . Jackie Rosett  
Sailor . . . . . Hoyt Bain  
Stew Pot . . . . . Charlie McCartney  
Liat . . . . . Bobette Oken  
Dancers for the three musicals are: Kay Tipton, Carolyn Denison, Grace Jackson, Linda Kay Elington, Lorine Crenshaw, Jean Netterville, Jeanne Gibson, Hoyt Bain, Ryan Horton, Rick Biggs, Sam Calhoun, Sonny Elder and Ray Squires.

The central committee will also appoint a costume, scenery, and publicity committee. There will also be a background chorus in which all freshmen are urged to join.

Watch for more information in the paper concerning the date and new committees.

### NOTICE

Anyone interested in participating in a monthly reading hour is urged to meet with Miss Alexander in Room 4 of the Science Building on Wednesday, Feb. 10, at 2:00 p. m. The platform reading presentations will be held in the Moore Student Center once a month during the spring semester and will be open to everyone. Experience in drama or speech is not necessary. If unable to attend the Feb. 10 meeting, please contact Miss Alexander before Feb. 19.

## Phi Beta's Initiate 5 New Members

Alpha Iota chapter of Phi Beta, professional women's fraternity of music and drama initiated five new members Sunday, Jan. 10, in the home of Mrs. J. R. Russell, at 649 Elmwood.

Those initiated were Linda Rosett, Marie Nelson, Ruth Velotta, Rosemary Watkins, and Linda Stone.

## LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



## Librarian Shortage

"Thousands of young people are graduating from high school each year and thinking about their careers—but relatively few are considering one of the most colorful and challenging professions open to both men and women—librarianship," states James S. Cookston, newly appointed Recruiting Director of the Louisiana State Library.

To acquaint high school and undergraduate college students with the varied opportunities open to them in the library field, and to help alleviate the severe shortage of librarians to fill currently existing positions, the two-year recruiting project headed by Cookston has been established under the Federal Library Services Act.

"Twelve thousand unfilled positions now exist on a national level," says Miss Essae Martha Culver, State Librarian. "In our own state, it is believed that approximately 400 more library positions will be open by 1964."

A particular facet of the overall need in the library field is pointed out by Dr. Lena de Grummond, State Supervisor of School Libraries.

"Since the Southern Association of Schools and Libraries will begin to accredit elementary schools in 1960, we anticipate—in fact—we are already beginning to see—an increase in centralized libraries, and consequently, a need for more librarians. Forty-two new positions were opened in school librarianship in Louisiana in 1959, and 37 of them were in elementary schools."

Professor Florinell Francis Morton, Director of the LSU Library School, reports that representatives from major institutions all over the country seek new staff members yearly from among the university's library graduates.

Students in this area have a special advantage in that LSU is one of 32 accredited library schools in the nation, and one of the few in the South. A student who likes books, likes people, and who would like his life work to be of real value, can take library courses as a part of his undergraduate work, and receive his Master's degree in Library Science with 36 additional hours in fifth year work.



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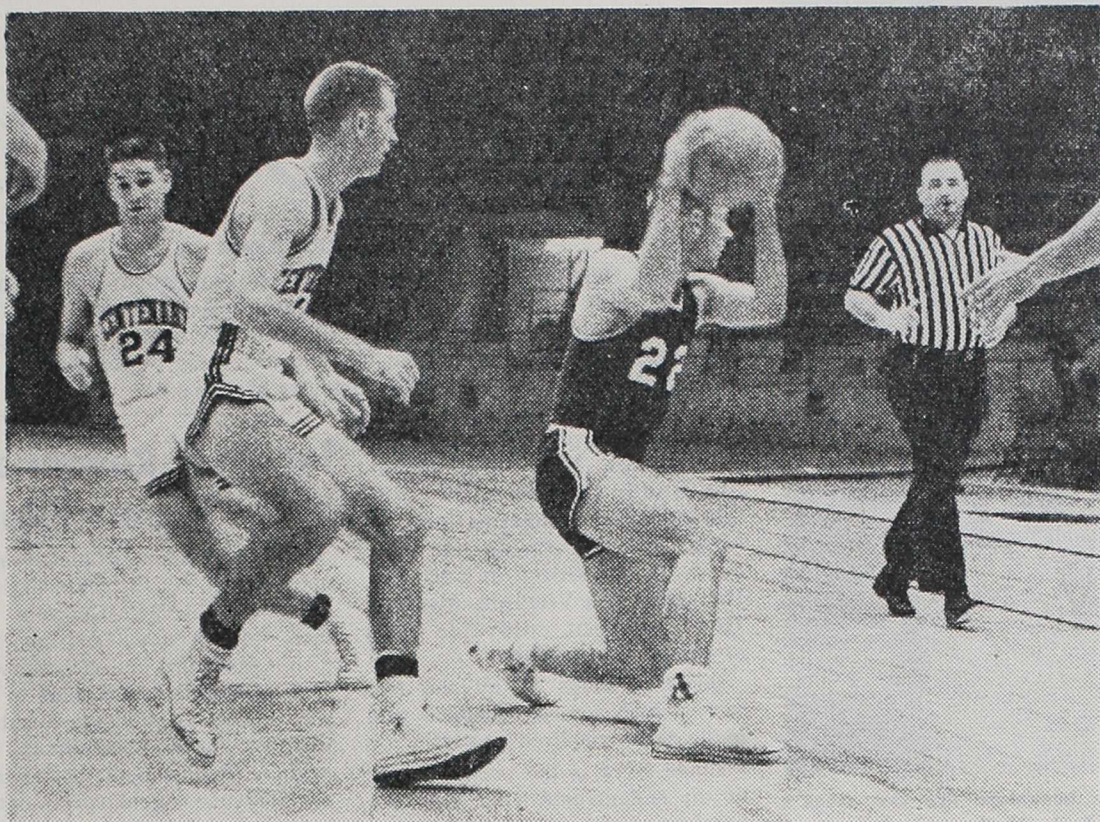
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The fast moving action seen above will be one of the focal points in the game tonight between Hardin Simmons and the Gents. With Larry Greene and Dale Van Bibber sidelined due to scholastic difficulties and Jackie Crawford out with a bad knee, the Gents will be fighting an uphill battle. Outstanding student participation will be needed to make tonight's game a success. Why not come?

### ROTC Review

## Lorant Sponsors Corps Rifle Team

Captain of the Centenary ROTC Rifle Team is Cadet Sergeant Major David Simmons. Mr. Simmons, a junior physics major from Shreveport, has commanded the group in matches with Ouachita College, Byrd High School and the National Guard. He plans for a career in the Army and desires a regular Army commission in the Ordnance Corps.

Miss Fran Lorant is sponsor of the Rifle Team. She holds the rank of honorary captain. A freshman who at the present has not decided upon an academic major, Miss Lorant has a well-developed interest in boating and skiing. Since she was a sponsor at Byrd, Fran is no stranger to the ROTC. She finds it unfortunate that college sponsors are not allowed to drill the troops.

### INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Coach Johnson has announced that the men's intramural basketball season will begin next Tuesday night, Feb. 9, at 7:00 p. m. The schedule of games for next week is below.

#### Tuesday, February 9

- 7:00 Golden Pheasants vs. Cos-sa's Robbers
- 7:45 B. S. U. vs. Kappa Sigma
- 8:20 Kappa Alpha vs. Black-hawks

#### Wednesday, February 10

- 7:00 M. S. M. vs. Kappa Sigma
- 7:45 Golden Pheasants vs. Blackhawks
- 8:20 B. S. U. vs. Kappa Alpha

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## Asst. PMST Kay Receives Promotion

Paul J. Kay, associate professor of military science and tactics, has been promoted from the rank of captain to that of major.

He began his military career when he enlisted in the Coast Artillery Corps in December, 1939; he was commissioned in August, 1942. During World War II, when he served in the Field Artillery, Maj. Kay participated in the Saipan-Tinian, Leyte, Luzon and Okinawa campaigns, filling the duties of forward officer, and later intelligence officer. In November, 1945, he joined the Reserves, but re-entered active duty in July, 1948, serving for one year in the 10th Field Artillery, 3rd infantry division, in Korea. He was promoted to the rank of captain in July, 1951.

Maj. Kay's duties have included those of Field Artillery forward observer, survey officer, Air Defense Battery commander, Army Headquarters company commander, battalion adjutant, group adjutant, post adjutant and Honor Guard commander. Among his decorations are the Bronze Star with oak leaf cluster, the Army Commendation ribbon, the Asiatic-Pacific Medal with four campaign stars and the Korean Service and Philippine Liberation ribbons, also with four campaign stars each.

He earned the BS degree at Centenary College after having studied previously at the University of Virginia and Boston University.

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EVERYTHING FOR THE COLLEGE MAN

## Alpha Xi Delta Plans Feb. Dance

Alpha Xi Delta will hold its annual Spring Formal in the Moore Student Center on Saturday, Feb. 13 from 8:00 p. m. to 12:00 p. m.

The dance will introduce a new band to the Centenary Campus. The Falcons from Louisiana Tech will provide the dance music that night and will be decked out in red jackets in honor of the Valentine Day theme. Valentine hearts and soft music will complete the atmosphere during the evening.

## WRA Accepts A Point System

The WRA Council met Wednesday, Dec. 16, and at that time adopted a point system for ranking teams in the intramural program. The plan was presented by the treasurer, Ann Hardtner. Each member of the council was also given a copy of the WRA Constitution.

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# SPORTS SPOTLIGHT

By RICK BIGGS

There has been much discussion about campus and all over town for that matter concerning Larry Greene and Dale Van Bibber. Neither of these two fine ball players will be assisting the Gent squad for the remainder of the season. The reason for their removal from the squad is simply that Larry and Dale were unable to maintain the scholastic requirements to continue playing.

The regulations concerning a player's eligibility to participate in athletics are established by the Southeastern Conference as well as by the school. It is unfortunate of course that two such outstanding ball players should be restrained from finishing the season with the Gents. Both Greene and Bibber have established outstanding records and have been mentioned often when the final game statistics were published.

Greene is one of the famed "Little Men" of coach Sigler's squad. His ability to handle the ball ranks along with the best. No coach could ask for a wiser, heads up ball player. Greene is always looking for an opportunity to turn events to the Gents' favor. His behind the back dribble has amazed fans and out-foxed many a guard.

Van Bibber is being withheld from playing by Southeastern Conference hour regulations. Dale has been one of the top scorers for the Gents this year. Anyone who has seen him in the SUB realizes that he is far from being qualified as one of the Little Men. His height added to his shooting instinct has made Bibber a real threat to opponents all season long.

It should be understood that these regulations are enforced for the good of the individual player. They are not designed to force a handicap upon the players. Rather these regulations are designed to place proper emphasis on matters of first and outstanding importance. I feel that after some consideration anyone will agree that Greene and Bibber, no matter how well they play and love the game, will be the eventual winners in this decision. We wish to encourage both Larry and Dale this semester to set their sights on becoming high score men in the scholastic league.



## It's a puzzlement:

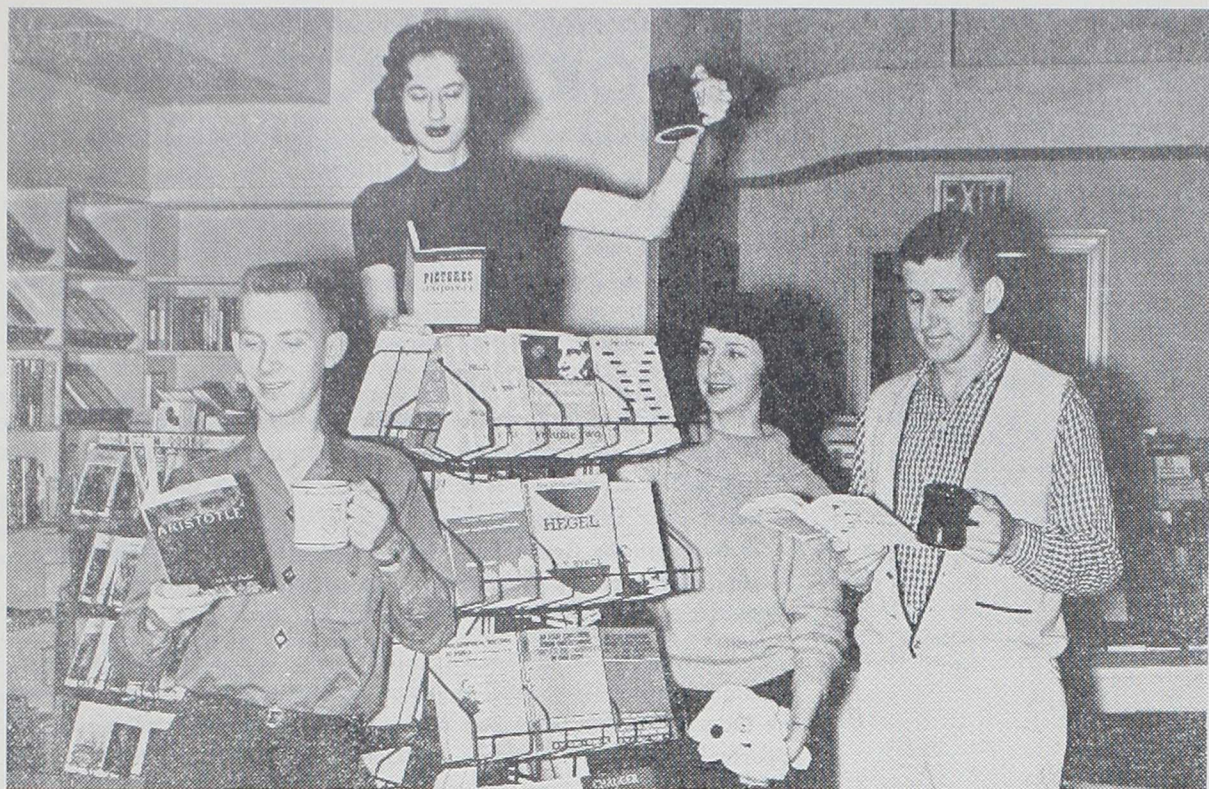
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Taking advantage of the many collegiate and campus items on sale in the bookstore are this week's personalities. Starting the semester off in the right way are, left to right, Jack Mulkey, junior; Sara Burroughs, senior; Jean Stevens, sophomore; and Keith Lloyd, freshman.

## "Too Many's" Spoil Personalities

"I received my first experience with the press at the age of five," claims Jack Mulkey. "I was on the bus on the way home from my grandmother's that summer which was during the Second World War. In my lap I clutched a bottle of lightning bugs. Suddenly the lights were out, and I yelled at my friends, the lightning bugs, 'Put out your tail lights, boys, we're having a blackout!' The next morning my words had made headlines in the local paper. From there I rose to greater fame until now I am appearing at last in the **Conglomerate**."

Jack, a junior, is a pre-law student majoring in French and English. He works on the **Yoncopin** staff, likes reading, music, and theatrical work. "My pet peeves consist of the American Novel, and people who think Socrates was a genius because he drank the hemlock," he says. "I also dislike signing for a course unless an 'A' is guaranteed."

Someday, he intends to write a famous book which will be translated into eighty-two languages ("including certain remote regions which have not yet been discovered by the Russians") entitled **Life in a Small College**.

### TOO MANY POUNDS

Keith Lloyd has been pegged by some of his friends on campus as "the boy with the disappearing eyes." When he displays his frequent grin, his eyes narrow down to nothing more than tiny slits. "That's just one of my many secrets for fascinating members of the opposite sex," he jokingly states. This genial freshman is also heckled by some for having added a "few" pounds around the middle as a result of a number of visits to the Piccadilly Pizza House recently.

Keith recalls an antic of his in high school which proved to be slightly embarrassing. While clowning in front of the entire class, the teacher, having been late, slipped in unnoticed by this youthful performer and observed the proceedings for several minutes before letting his presence be known. Needless to say, Keith was chagrined. However this did not keep him from graduating as valedictorian from Minden High School, where he was also a star basketball player.

Keith lists his pastimes as listening to "cool" jazz, playing basketball and tennis, and indulg-

ing in the art of loafing. A pre-medical student, his plans at present are directed toward the field of psychiatry.

### TOO MANY MOTHERS

Jean Stevens, sophomore, returned to Centenary this semester under rather unusual circumstances. She found her train abruptly stopped, herself herded from it and then forced into a taxi. While en route to school, it was explained that the train ahead of her own had been derailed, and travel somewhat detained. She was driven to her dorm a little shaken but none the worse for her experience.

Jean is currently majoring in English, "And I defy anyone to ask me what I'm going to do with it!" is a member of MSM and Kappa Chi. She likes to bowl, "But never can seem to go above 123. However, I'm a good scorekeeper." Also, she is interested in cooking, "Mostly ready mixes," and reading. "During the holidays I got half way through a three hundred page book," she confesses. "I like to sunbathe—but only in the summer." Jean also admits that she is constantly on a diet. "I don't stick to it, I'm just on it."

As for pet peeves, "I'm sure I have some," she says. "Oh, yes, being mothered to death. You know, a case of too many mothers. No offense to all of my mothers, but I get so tired of being told what to do." Don't we all?

### TOO MANY CREDITS

I'm the only person in this school who is being forced to graduate," says Sara Burroughs, senior. Much

to her dismay, Sara discovered at the middle of last semester that she not only had enough credit to graduate in three years but even too many. Next fall she plans to return to the University of Texas where she went the fall of 1958. There she will obtain a degree in journalism. She will graduate from Centenary during the summer of 1960 with a B.A. degree in English.

"My favorite hobby is the English department," she says. "I spend most of my time there." A few other little activities of hers are MSM, where she serves on the council, Dorm Council, Alpha Chi, Alpha Sigma Pi, Sigma Tau Delta, "And administering to the sick," says she. Next to the English department she prefers the latter occupation. Included in her patients are her two dogs, one of which has a calcium deficiency and a bad leg, the other of which suffers from bronchitis and heart trouble. "They're the only dogs I know of who fight over vitamin pills," she says. Included in her menagerie are three fish named Dr. Willingham, Mugwump, and Col. Pickering.

"Before Christmas," Sara explains, "I started a new practice of not looking at grades. I looked at my last semester grades for the first time Sunday night and started looking at old test paper grades on Monday."

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## 'ROUND BIG C CENTENARY

By CAROL REICHELT

Many Centenary students chose the mid-term break as a time to visit out-of-town friends. **Tanne McDade** journeyed to Kirkwood, Missouri with **Becky Graham**. One of the highlights of Tanne's trip was an honest-to-goodness sleigh ride. **Penny and Buddy Hawkins** were in New Orleans at the same time that the Choir was there. Penny also went to Sulphur with **Mary Lou Gassen**. **Patsy Stamps** visited **Buddy Graham** in New Orleans. **Ginny Emerson** learned to ski while spending her holidays at Washington and Lee University in Virginia. **Marilyn Hendrix** spent enjoyable days at Sun Valley, Idaho.

Congratulations to all the fraternity and sorority pledges who made their required grades.

**Linda Byrd** is the proud wearer of an engagement ring that she received about exam time. Congratulations also to **Pheribe Monroe** on her engagement.

Reports are that the Centenary Choir is having a very successful tour throughout Louisiana. Of course, we will all be glad when the choir members return to campus Sunday morning.

We extend a hearty welcome to all the students who are attending Centenary for the first time. We also welcome **Brenda Bailey** and **Nora Bess Stafford** to dormitory life.

Congratulations to **Jackie Carpenter** for his marriage to **Melinda McCloud**. Some people attending the wedding were **Jerry Jouett**, **Sallie Clingman**, **Tommy Hickcox**, **Jim Daigle** and **Dr. Willingham**.

**Jean Stephens** ended her holidays in grand style by arriving in Shreveport via derailed train and taxicab.

M. S. M. members attended a conference at Dulac, Louisiana. An unusual and good time was had by all at this state Methodist Student Movement conference.

## Internal Revenue Plans Agent Exam

Donald L. Bonnet, Chief, Personnel Branch, U. S. Treasury Department, Internal Revenue Service, New Orleans, Louisiana, will visit Centenary on February 24, 1960, at the Student Center to talk with interested students about the Revenue Service Recruitment Program. Announcements of the Internal Revenue Agent examinations have been posted on the college bulletin boards and brochures are available in the office of the Dean of Students.

The Revenue Service is embarking this year on an extensive recruiting program which will cover a five year period, for example: effective July 5, 1960, the service plans to hire 24 Revenue Agents—qualifications—accounting majors with 24 hours of accounting; 7 Revenue Agent Trainees February 6, 1961, and 5 for June 12, 1961; also, a considerable number of additional Revenue Agent Trainees on July, 1961.

The program for Revenue Officers calls for 15 for entry on duty July, 1960—qualifications—a general degree in which each applicant is required to take the Federal Service Entrance Exam.

Two Special Agents will be recruited for entry on duty July, 1960—qualifications—degree in Business Administration with 12 hours of accounting.

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## Gala Homecoming Plans Crystallize



Miss Mary Allen, seated third from left, will reign as queen of the Mardi Gras court at the dance Saturday, Feb. 20. Other members of the court are, standing, Joy Camerer, Carol Reichelt, Jane Ilgenfritz; and seated, Cornelia Agurs, Norma Strother, Queen Allen, and Mary Lou Lowe.

### Mary Allen Reigns As Queen of Ball

Miss Mary Allen, Lafayette, will reign as queen of the Mardi Gras ball celebration during the homecoming weekend on Saturday, Feb. 20, in the Haynes Memorial Gymnasium at 8:00 p. m. Queen Allen will be escorted by Lewis "Dub" Fletcher, president of the Student Senate.

A sweetheart has been elected by the members of the Gymnastics Team from the campus coeds. The selection of the sweetheart is being kept secret until the ball Saturday night, and will be disclosed at that time. Tally Pledger, captain of the Gymnastics team, will escort the young lady who will serve as one of the four princesses in the court and will automatically be queen of next year's homecoming court.

The other three princesses were selected by each sorority, not already represented on the court and by the independent women. Norma K. Strother was selected by Chi Omega; Margaret Cornelia Agurs, Alpha Xi Delta; and Mary Lou Lowe, independents.

Members of the four classes each elected a maid to represent their class on the court. Senior maid is Tanne McDade; junior, Jane Ilgenfritz; sophomore, Carol Reich-

elt; and Freshman, Joyce Camerer.

The other escorts for the princesses and maids will be the presidents of each of the classes, the vice-president of the Student Senate and a representative from each of the fraternities. They are Fred Willis, senior class president; Jim Daigle, junior class president; Paul McMahan, sophomore class president; Howard Elder, Jr., freshman class president; Ralph Mason, president Kappa Alpha; George Acton, president Kappa Sigma, and Buddy Daley, vice-president of Student Senate.

The members of the gym team have been working with Coach Johnson concerning plans for the dance. Music will be provided by Milt Chapman and his orchestra and after the presentation of the court, three members of the Gymnastics Team will present a tumbling exhibition.

### Mardi Gras Ball To Climax Days Of Alum Reunion

The Student Senate, gym team and administration are currently making plans for the Centenary Homecoming Celebration, Feb. 19 and 20. Highlight of the celebration and the center of activities will be the basketball game Friday night, with the Gents meeting the Bulldogs from Louisiana Tech in their annual hardwood clash.

#### GAME HIGHLIGHT

The game will be at 8:00 p. m. in the Hirsch Memorial Youth Center at the Louisiana State Fair Grounds, and will feature a gymnastics exhibition during the half-time. Following the game, there will be an alumni-faculty-student "round-up," a time to "greet old friends and meet new friends."

A full day of activities will begin Saturday, Feb. 20, with departmental open houses at 10:00 a. m. American Association of University Women is sponsoring a Style Show in the Moore Student Center at 10:30 a. m. with clothes modeled from The Fashion.

#### LUNCHEON, MONTAGE

All alumni are invited to an alumni luncheon at 12:30 p. m. in the Moore Student Center.

At 2:00 p. m. all faculty, students and alumni are invited to attend a fine arts montage in the Marjorie Lyons Playhouse. The program will include selections by the Centenary College Choir, the campus band, and a reading by Joe Gifford, head of the department of speech and dramatics. Following the montage, members of the Maroon Jackets will conduct a tour of the campus and its buildings for those interested at 3:00 p. m.

#### GREEK OPEN HOUSES

The campus fraternities will hold their respective open houses at 7:00 p. m. for their individual alumni.

The "grand finale" of the homecoming celebrations will crystallize at 8:00 p. m. in the Haynes Memorial Gymnasium when the doors open for the campus Mardi Gras festivities. A court of a queen, four princesses, four maids, and their escorts will be presented to the guests, after which Milt Chapman and his orchestra will provide music for dancing.

The administration and faculty have been hard at work on these plans and hope that a sizeable number of alumni will return to the campus for the weekend's gala event.



Members of the Homecoming coordinating committee are seen meeting in the lovely conference room of the Administration Building. Seated, left to right, are Dub Fletcher, Mrs. Nichols, Mr. Johnson, Dean Allen, Dean Lineberger, Dr. Voran and Dean Vogel.

### Style Show, Tours Highlight Festival

Several open houses and a style show sponsored by the American Association of University Women will be major inclusions on the calendar of events for the homecoming activities. Style show plans are being made off campus, but dormitory councils, fraternities, and departmental heads are working here.

The American Association of University Women has announced plans to sponsor a fund-raising fashion show.

Mrs. Keith Begbie will be the commentator for the show. Spring selections will be from The Fashion and Regents Shoes, Line Avenue. Hair styles will be created by John's Hair Styling Center. Bill Hunter will provide floral decorations.

The local branch of AAUW has undertaken the sponsorship of the benefit event in support of a national educational center now under construction.

The style show is open to the public. It begins at 10:30 a. m. Feb. 20 in Moore Student Center.

Also in connection with the Homecoming celebration, a number of open houses will be held on campus. At 4 p. m. Saturday, James Dormitory will host an open house-reception. At this time, the rooms on the first floor of both James and Hardin Hall will be open for inspection.

Members of both dormitory councils and the two respective dorm mothers will receive guests.

The sororities and fraternities on campus will have open houses for their alumni. These open houses will last from 7 p. m. until 8 p. m.

At 10 a. m. Saturday, Feb. 20, the various departments of the college will be open to the public. An information booth will be set up at the corner of the parking lot to furnish visitors with information concerning Centenary's various departments.

Tours of the campus will be part of the forthcoming homecoming celebration. The tours will begin Saturday at 2 p. m. and all students, faculty and alumni are invited. Included in the tour will be the Science Building, the Marjorie Lyons Playhouse, the Morehead Concourse, upstairs of the Moore Student Center, Crumley Memorial, the cafeteria, first floor of Hardin Hall and James Dormitory.



## Cooperation!

The **Conglomerate** is the campus newspaper and several students devote unending hours of work to its preparation. The paper is written by a very small number of people, who not only serve the multi-positions of copy readers, headline writers, reporters, etc., but must also perform the regular duties of those staff members, recognized as such by the campus, who fail to fulfill their responsibility.

With only two afternoons each week in which to compose the paper, it is absolutely necessary to have the cooperation of students and campus organizations. I strongly urge that all organizations select a reporter from their ranks who will make certain that any item of newsworthy importance (however insignificant) is in the **Conglomerate** office by Monday afternoon of each week.

The response to the publication this year has been far, far above that of previous years, but please don't stop now! Any letters from the students and faculty of praise, criticism, announcement or question are welcomed and encouraged.

Furthermore, any person interested in helping on the paper is invited to come by the office on Monday afternoon and anyone interested in trying for the position of editor for next year should begin working on the paper now.

P. S.

## Letters To The Editor

DEAR EDITOR:

Although girls do not come to college with the sole purpose of "catching a man," it is reassuring to know that the chosen campus will have a sufficient escort supply.

We fear a crisis may be approaching—with a possible cause being the dormitory situation on campus. Two lovely dorms for women have been constructed in recent years . . . and now another is being added to enhance the beauty of the grounds and to balance with Hardin Hall. We agree that the visual arrangement is pleasant, but that is hardly enough to warrant it.

The gentlemen of Centenary college are still housed in "Rodent Hall" and we fear that any day the SPCA will have to rescue the occupants by condemning the premises. With the ever increasing supply of women students and ever decreasing number of males, we feel that this campus will soon be known as "Spinster-nary College."

Ye happily married administrators, grant this our plea

A new boys dorm, and occupants, too, for Centenary!

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## Proficiency Test

The English proficiency test will be given on Tuesday, Feb. 16, 1960, in room 114 of the Science Building from 7:50 a. m. till 9:50 a. m.

The following people **must** take the test:

1. All juniors who do not have an average of B or better in freshman English.
2. All seniors who should have taken it last year but did not do so.
3. Second semester sophomores who do not have the required average in freshman English and who wish to take it.
4. Any candidate for a degree at Centenary who may have previously failed the test. NOTE: Any candidate who has taken additional courses or work in English to make up for his deficiency in English must take the test a second time and pass it.

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## Announcements

### MEDICAL COLLEGE

Pre-medical students seeking admission to medical colleges for entrance in the Fall of 1961 should contact Dr. Waters as soon as possible in order to register for the Medical College Admission Test and obtain application blanks. The test will be administered on May 7, 1960, and the deadline for registration is April 23, 1960.

### AUFAT ANNOUNCEMENT

A reorganizational meeting of Aufait, organization for independent college women, will be held in Room 23 of the Administration Building this afternoon, Friday, Feb. 12, at 3:30. All interested independent women are urged to attend.

### PART-TIME JOB

There is an opening for a part-time secretarial on campus job in the afternoons. Requirements include typing and shorthand. Anyone fulfilling the requirements and interested should contact Tracy Arnold (office on the second floor of the Religious Building) at UN 1-6387 or UN 1-0603.

### GOLF TEAM

Anyone interested in playing on the golf team should contact John Williams or Martin Braswell as soon as possible. Team members have already started practicing, but their schedule does not begin until March.

## Famous Telepathist Will Be Featured At Youth Banquet

Dr. Spencer Thornton, M.D., internationally known radio personality will be the featured speaker at the Broadmoor Baptist Church youth banquet to be held at the Moore Student Center of Centenary College tonight, Feb. 12, at 7 p. m. His radio show, "Mysteries of the Mind," was a regular feature on NBC Monitor, and his amazing "mind reading" act was a frequent feature on NBC Television in the United States, and on CBC Television in Canada. As a syndicated columnist, his articles appeared in newspapers around the world, reports the Rev. Mr. Ernest Mosley, Assistant to the Pastor of Broadmoor Baptist Church.

Dr. Scott L. Tatum, Pastor of Broadmoor Baptist Church, states that articles about his feats of mind reading and predictions have appeared in magazines such as Saturday Evening Post, Saga, The American Weekly, Time and others.

On Sept. 3, Dr. Thornton, appearing on the NBC-TV "Jack Paar Show," predicted five headlines in New York City newspapers several days in advance. Ever since the headline stories about his 1-2-3 forecast of the Kentucky Derby, Dr. Thornton has attained worldwide notice and intense national interest, states Rev. Mr. Mosley. He has appeared on radio and television with such personalities as Jack Paar, Dave Garroway, Hugh Downs, Frank Blair and others.

Spence's parents are both school-teachers. When he was about 12 years old he saw a vaudeville performer put on a trained-memory act that made him determined to train his own memory so he could execute some of the performer's prodigious feats. He is a graduate of Wake Forest College and Bowman-Gray Medical School. He is attending the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary for a year, preparatory to going to the Orient.

## Greeks Issue Bids During Open Rush

Second semester open rush began in the past two weeks with the issuing of bids by the three sororities and two fraternities on campus.

Pledging Kappa Alpha fraternity last week were Delton Guin, Mike Ramming, and John Vasilopoulos. Pledging Kappa Sigma fraternity this week were Ralph Ferarri, Robert Hamilton, John Lawrence, Mike Mann, Barry Nelson, Glen Cothern.

Alpha Xi Delta sorority pledged Carolyn Hook this week with Chi Omega pledging Marie Armintor.

## Alpha Xi Formal Planned for Feb. 13

Alpha Xi Delta extends an invitation to all students and faculty to attend their Valentine Formal tomorrow night in the Moore Student Center from 8 o'clock until 12.

Music for the evening will be provided by the Falcons from Louisiana Tech. Drummond's Photography Studio will send a photographer to the dance who will be available during the evening to take pictures of the couples standing before a large heart. Refreshments will be served.

## LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



"I JUST HEARD A HORRIBLE RUMOR—THAT THE TRUSTEES WILL REQUIRE ALL PROFESSORS TO PASS TH' ENTRANCE EXAM."

## Pamela\*

Students attending Centenary have been "nagged" this year from all sides about their lack of school spirit, their high-school attitudes, and their lack of togetherness. They have been reprimanded for their conduct in chapel and lyceum programs and comments have been made as to the existing antagonism between groups on campus.

In contrast to all these remarks, this article is to praise the students for their recent actions. Numerous recent examples have been readily observable as antitheses to the above examples.

Campus "factions," from their "separate tables," have helped together to organize and plan the coming homecoming festivities and have initiated the ideas and brought them to realization.

The new semester has started off well with attentive and quiet audiences in chapel and lyceum. Furthermore, what is perhaps an insignificant example, but a definitely observable one, is the general appearance on campus. Centenary gentlemen have of late been seen sporting collegiate jackets, sweaters and slacks.

A recent chapel program made reference to the Greeks on campus, setting up their own prearranged nominees for campus elections and backing them with bloc votes. BUT—in the most recent election, that of class maids for the homecoming Mardi Gras court, there were no Greek plans prior to the class meetings as to candidate choices and nominations were made freely from the floor.

It is awfully disheartening to constantly receive nothing but reprimands, with no praise. I commend the students for these recent actions.

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P. S.



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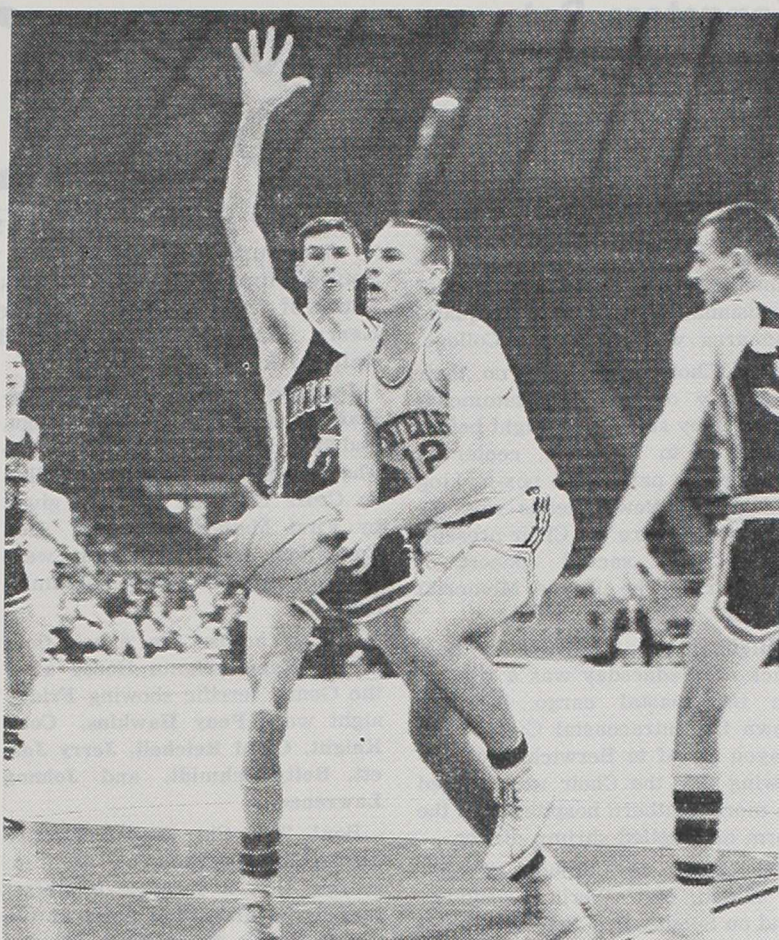
## Kimball's Topples Gentlets, 84-63

Kimball's Business Machines, a member of one of Shreveport's SPAR circuits, triumphed over the Gentlets prior to the "big boys" clash with the University of Richmond, Monday night, Feb. 8, with 84 points to their 63.

On the Kimball team were former collegiate stars whose experience netted victory for them over the Gents' Frosh squad. Burl Plunkett, a Centenary All-American four years ago, topped the opposition's five with 17 points. Five of their shooters were in the double figures en route to their 28th win in 33 games.

Gerald Martello and Dick Brown backed up Plunkett with 12 points each and Nick Panico and Billy Wiggins each rang up 11. Martello and Panico are former Gents, Brown played at Northwestern and Wiggins at Tech. Another playmaker for Kimball's was Larry Greene, recently cut from the Gent roster because of scholastic deficiencies.

The Frosh parade was led by Willard Moore and Don Ensley, with 21 and 17 points, respectively. Moore pitched seven out of seven fielders for his score and Ensley hit 11 of 14 foul shots. Harry Wuennenberg, 6-foot, 9-inch postman, added 14 points as the Gentlets dropped to 8-6 for the year.



Ralph Mason, 6'4" junior, was high scorer in Centenary's recent tilt with the University of Richmond, Monday night, Feb. 8. The final score of the battle was Centenary 68 and University of Richmond 66.

## SPORTS SPOTLIGHT

By PATSY STAMPS

The recent onslaught of basketball's seven-footers has raised cries to raise the baskets, but Cliff Wells, Tulane University coach, has another suggestion: a plan of scoring zones that could make the little man a vital offensive factor again.

Wells, past president of the National Association of Basketball Coaches, thinks that raising the baskets would hurt the little men even more than the seven-footers, for they will still be closer to the basket and will still have the advantage. The advent of such players as 7'1" Wilt Chamberlain, who are in the process of rewriting professional scoring records with a type of "jump and dunk" method, have prompted these outcries.

The division of the court into scoring zones, thus putting emphasis on long shots and minimizing the advantage of the tall man near the basket, is Wells' answer to the situation. His plan is to divide the court into three scoring areas. "The zone within a 10-foot radius of the basket would be a one-point area, that within 20-feet would be a two-point one and any shot outside the 20-foot boundary would count for three points." Foul shots, of course, would be unchanged.

According to Wells, this system would bring strategy back into the game and put more emphasis on distance shooting. The big man, then could dunk all the shots he could, but they would count for only one point each; and distance shooters would be at a premium because their long range shots would count for three points.

The three zones would be defined by lines drawn from the boundaries under the baskets and to facilitate calling the shots, the intermediate two-point area would be painted solid white.

Wells says that his system could only apply to colleges whose games are played on a regulation floor and admits that it isn't likely that coaches will go for such a revolutionary plan.

"But it would open up the game," he said, "and with a three-point zone, close games could hang in the balance until the last second. If basketball wants to get the little man back into the picture, this could be the answer."

### ATTENTION SPORTS FANS:

Please excuse any errors, inadequacies, lies, misconceptions, slights, or triteness this page. I am far from being "well versed" on the subject matter and all these stories were, of necessity, written on the spur of the final moment. However... anyone bright enough to recognize errors and see room for improvement is URGED to contact me immediately about alleviating the situation in the future.

P. S.

Hearnes

## Gents Handle Defeat Of Spiders, 68-66

By PATSY STAMPS

The Centenary Gents came from behind with the loss of several first stringers, to defeat the University of Richmond's Spiders before a nearly-empty Hirsch Memorial Gymnasium last Monday, Feb. 8, with a score of 68 to 66.

The Spiders, suffering from an eight-game losing streak, almost had it made when they shot into a 66 to 65 lead with only two minutes and 5 seconds playing time remaining. The last minute three-point play of Ralph Mason, one of the irregulars, wiped out the Spider's only lead in the ballgame and shoved the Gents to victory.

Monday's game marked Centenary's eleventh victory in 19 games (prior to last night's game against Northwestern State College). In winning, the Gents' snapping first time performance of 45.2 percent of their field goal attempts, waned slightly in the second-half, with only 22 points in 20 minutes and hitting 39 per cent from the floor.

Mason, 6'4" junior, moved into starting status with the Gent's recent loss of some starters, via the classroom, and turned in a great performance in the game. He cashed in seven out of 10 foul shots and swept off 16 of Centenary's 48 rebounds.

Six foot, eight inch Jackie Crawford was next in the tallies with 13 counters and 12 rebounds, although handicapped with a snapped ligament. Glenn Cothren, forward, pitched in with 12 more scores.

Top scorers for the Spiders were Lee O'Bryan, Dick Heymore and Tom Booker with 18, 12 and 11 points respectively. O'Bryan caught 8 of Richmond's 37 rebounds. Butch Labriotte, Richmond's season high scorer, left the game with slightly more than 6 minutes remaining after netting up eight points and five personal fouls. Overall, the Spiders landed 25 out of their 55 attempted shots.

## STATISTICS

### GENTS VS. SPIDERS

RICHMOND (66)									
	fga	fg	fta	ft	pf	pts			
Morchower	2	0	1	0	0	0			
Floyd	1	0	0	0	1	0			
Booker	6	4	3	3	2	11			
Lambiotte	7	4	0	0	5	8			
Cole	6	0	3	2	0	2			
Slate	11	2	4	3	4	7			
Sklar	3	3	4	2	2	8			
O'Bryan	12	6	8	6	4	18			
Heymore	7	6	1	0	4	12			
Totals	55	25	24	16	22	66			

CENTENARY (68)									
	fga	fg	fta	ft	pf	pts			
Cothren	15	6	3	0	5	12			
Mason	8	4	10	7	3	15			
Crawford	14	4	9	5	4	13			
Eubanks	12	2	2	2	0	6			
Vasilopoulos	4	3	3	2	1	8			
King	7	4	0	0	2	8			
Dubose	4	2	4	2	2	6			
Ramming	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Totals	64	25	31	18	17	68			
Score by halves:	Richmond	36	30	66					
	Centenary	46	22	68					

### FROSH VS. KIMBALL'S

CENTENARY FROSH (63)									
	fga	fg	fta	ft	pf	tp			
Wallace	4	0	0	0	5	8			
Wuennenberg	6	9	2	3	14				
Ferrari	0	5	3	4	3				
Moore	7	7	7	5	21				
Mumma	0	0	0	0	0				
Ensley	3	14	1	4	17				
Woodson	0	0	0	0	0				
Totals	20	35	23	21	63				

KIMBALL'S (84)									
	fga	fg	fta	ft	pf	tp			
Plunkett	6	5	5	3	17				
Martello	4	4	4	1	12				
Panico	4	5	3	4	11				
Shaw	2	0	0	4	4				
Scott	2	5	4	0	8				
J. Wiggins	1	2	2	0	4				
B. Wiggins	4	3	3	0	11				
Greene	1	3	3	5	5				
Brown	5	2	2	5	12				
Totals	29	29	26	23	84				
Score by halves:	Centenary Frosh	28	35	63					
	Kimball's	36	48	84					

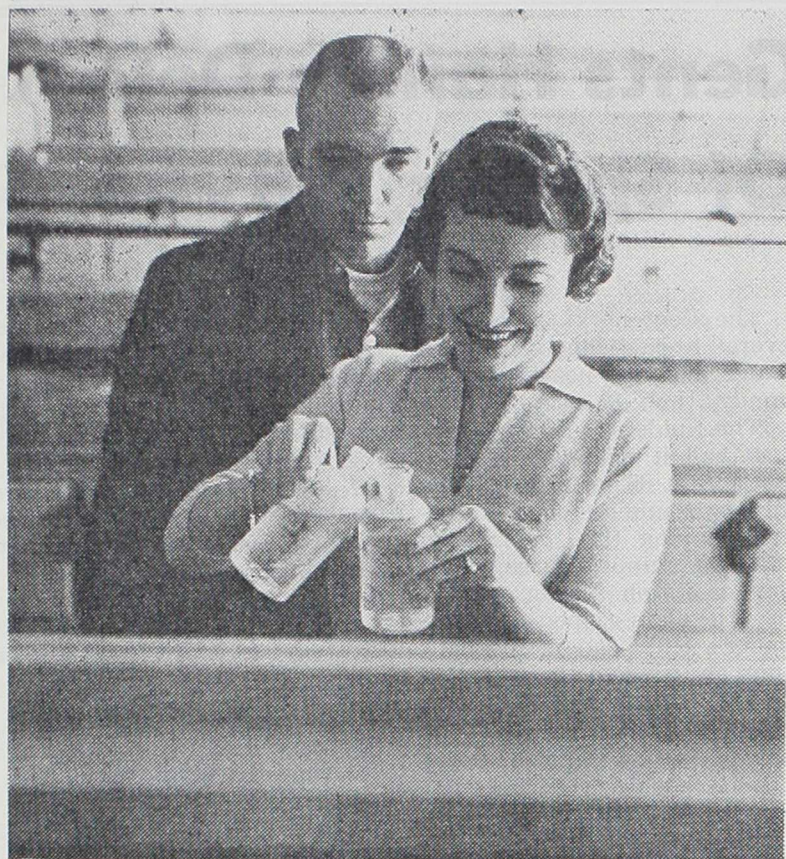
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Carefully concocting a smoking love potion is Mary Beth Bomar, senior. The mixture will more than likely be administered to Wary Fred Willis, also senior and fiance of Mary Beth. This senior couple, engaged to be married this summer, and extremely active on campus for their four years here have been selected as the CONGLOMERATE'S ideal Valentine's Day personalities.

### Personalities

## Ain't Love Grand?

"When I get married, I hope I am a thousand miles away from Fred Willis! he uses methods for finding the 'getaway' car that would make the FBI green with envy, to say nothing of the one or two other 'innocent' pranks that this live-wire might have up his sleeve," a good friend of this week's personality explained. However, this is not the only side of Fred Willis. He has proved that he is truly a big man on campus in many capacities. This friendly senior was president of his sophomore class, president of Kappa Sigma fraternity, and is currently serving as president of the Senior Class, and vice-president of the student body.

"I braved the big earthquake in Yellowstone this summer, and came out unscathed," says Fred. "While everyone else fell on the floor or ran for cover, I just grabbed the nearest girl." He counts his favorite hobbies as water-skiing, any sort of intramurals, and (with a coy grin in the direction of Mary Beth Bomar) girls. Fred then recalled an incident concerning a date that proved to be rather embarrassing: "I knocked on the door, and was welcomed by a sweet old lady. After having a very nice visit of about thirty minutes duration, she asked what I wanted—I had the wrong house!"

Mary Beth Bomar, senior, needs no introduction on the Centenary campus. Everyone knows this outstanding personality has been active in campus activities for four consecutive years. During her sophomore year she was chosen maid in the Gentleman's Holiday court. Last year she was a princess in the Fifty Years in Shreveport celebration. She has also served as cheerleader for three years. This year she is president of her sorority, Chi Omega, is on the student affairs committee, and the Yoncopin staff.

Last summer Mary Beth worked at Old Faithful Inn in Yellowstone National Park. At that time, she experienced the world's second greatest earthquake. "You don't really think about the ground being there until it begins all that jumping around," she observes. While there, she worked as a waitress. "I had the opportunity to

wait on people from all over the world," says she.

Mary Beth is graduating at the end of this semester with a certificate in upper and lower elementary education. She regards her experience practice teaching as one of the most outstanding features of her education, and especially recalls one particular incident. Last year, while teaching a first grade class, she was explaining the custom of carolling to invalids at Christmastime and asked her class if they knew what an invalid was. One little boy confidentially answered, "Yes, mam', that's a lady who isn't married."

Which omits Mary Beth from the invalid list. She is engaged to Fred, and hopes to be married by June, "Although a few other things have to be considered first."

Even though Mary Beth would like to while away time by watching TV and shows, "I never seem to have any to while away," says she. "However, I do sell Avon products in the dorm, if anyone's interested."

## Songsters Return From Annual Tour

After singing 17 sacred and secular concerts, the Choir has returned to campus from their annual 14-day mid-semester tour. The tour, termed "highly successful" by Director "Cheesy" Voran was planned over the southern part of Louisiana, primarily to acquaint the area with Centenary College.

The Choir's first stop on their first day out was in Hammond, where they stayed overnight before going on to Bogalusa, center of Louisiana's paper and box-making industries. New Orleans was the next stop, where the Choir presented its first sacred concert of the tour in the Rayne Memorial Church.

Highlighting the trip to Berwick on Wednesday was a ride on an intracoastal cargo freighter down the Intracoastal Canal from Bayou Boeuf to Berwick. The following day the Choir was treated to more Southern hospitality in the form of a boiled shrimp dinner.

Successive days brought concerts in Slidell, New Iberia, DeRidder, and on Sunday two concerts in Sulphur and Jennings. Two concerts on Monday were presented in Leesville and Lake Charles before the Choir finished its itinerary with stops in Welsh, Crowley, Lafayette, Thibodaux and Baton Rouge.

Hospitable families in each of the towns opened their homes to choir members for each night's stay, except in New Orleans and Baton Rouge. Without the willingness of these families the tour would have been impossible.

Following an evening concert in Baton Rouge, the Choir returned to Shreveport, arriving early Sunday morning. Highlights of the tour—the paper mill, the boat ride and the visit in New Orleans—were filmed and presented Sunday afternoon on the Choir's television show along with a resume of the entire tour, bringing it to a pleasant finale as Choir members returned to make up classes and to plan for a busy spring semester.

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# ROUND BIG C CENTENARY

By GINNY EMERSON

A group of Centenaryites were seen at the new Cradle of Sound sipping Paris Passions, hot cider, Cuba Passions, etc. Some of those enjoying the delicious drinks were **Ward Jones, Larry Madden, Faye Cox, Bob Moore, Gail Delaney, and Ralph Akin.**

**Jeanette Crocker, Richard Herrman, Sonny Elder, Beverly Wingo, and Mike Mann** were a few of those who gathered at the Texaco Club on Cross Lake for a party given by First Methodist Church. **Don Couvillion and Hoyt Bain** were some of those roasting marshmallows.

Gliding across the dance floor at the Kappa Sigma House after the Gents' terrific showing Friday night were **Peny Hawkins, Coan Knight, Carol Reichelt, Jerry Joutt, Betty Schmidt, and Johnny Lawrence.**

Boy! The Chi Omega pledges awoke Saturday morn at 7:00 a. m. to find that a surprise breakfast was to be given for them at the Chi O House. **Patsy West, Martha Ann Brown, and Louise Gaughan** were a couple of those awakened by such actives as **Ann Morrisette, Jane Ilgenfritz, and Nancy Dixon.**

Fuller, what is this about your new nickname, Ajax?

A belated congratulations is extended to **Linda Sue Brown and Hoot Evers** who are dropped.

A belated Happy Birthday goes to the editor, **Patsy Stamps.** Seems as though she had a visitor from New Orleans.

The Chi Omega pledges entertained the actives Monday night at the house with a chicken dinner. The pledges served their big sisters and then helped themselves to Boston Baked Beans.

It's great to have the choir back from tour. We're anxious to hear the exciting tales of their experiences while on this trip.

The Pep Squad sponsored a dance in the SUB after the Hardin-Simmons game Friday night. A few of those seen were **Kay France, Hollard Collins, Jane Parker, Carolyn Searcy, and Odie Reynolds.** Music was provided by the Nomads featuring **Johnny Evans and Dave White** on the guitar.

**Sara Hitchcock** leaves this weekend to be an attendant in a friend's wedding in Paris, Tex.

**Jeri Cassidy** has been chosen by the Sciosophers.



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## E. Power Biggs Famous Organist To Give Recital

E. Power Biggs, consistently voted "America's foremost organist" in annual polls of music critics and radio editors in the United States and Canada, will be presented in recital at 8:15 p. m. Tuesday, Feb. 23, at the Brown Memorial Chapel.

The organist's appearance is being sponsored by the North Louisiana Chapter of the American Guild of Organists and the Centenary student chapter of the AGO. Mrs. Hugh Hansen is dean of the North Louisiana chapter, and Beal Thomas is president of the campus group.

Tickets are available at the J and S Music Store, from any member of the sponsoring organizations, or may be purchased at the door. Adult tickets are \$2.50 and student tickets are \$1 each.

A string quartet consisting of locally known musicians, all of whom are members of the Shreveport Symphony, will assist Biggs. This quartet is comprised of Sam Terranova, concertmaster of the Shreveport Symphony Orchestra, first violin; Sara LeBlanc, second violin; Ruth Caghey, viola, and Walter Caghey, cello.

Biggs, a native of England, attended the Royal Academy of Music in London and was graduated with highest honors. After touring England, he came to the United States, settled in Boston, and is now an American citizen.

He is acclaimed as the creator of modern renaissance of the organ and has made many appearances throughout the country. He has performed over the CBS radio network on Sunday mornings, has appeared as soloist with leading U. S. symphony orchestras and the London BBC Orchestra in England. His concerts have included appearances at most of the leading universities of the United States.

## Math Professors Attend Convention

Three members of the mathematics department, Dr. Virginia Carlton, Miss Betty McKnight and A. C. Maddox, are attending the annual conference of the Louisiana-Mississippi section of the Mathematical Association of America and the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics in Biloxi, Miss., today and tomorrow.

Dr. Carlton, head of the mathematics department, will extend the welcoming address at the program this afternoon and will present a paper entitled, "Mental Growth and Development in Mathematics," at the program tomorrow morning.

Maddox, a part-time member of the faculty, is a charter member of the regional group, which was organized in 1924. Miss McKnight is assistant professor of mathematics.



Discussing last minute plans for Homecoming with Mrs. Nichols, student activities director, are Paul McMahan, Lorine Crenshaw and Phoebe Valentine.

## Rivals Vie For Victory Tonight

By DAVE GLASS

Tonight two fine teams led by two fine "giants" will clash in Hirsch Youth Center. Louisiana Tech, led by big Jackie Moreland, All-American, invades Shreveport to try to whip the Gents for the second time. They did it the first time in Ruston to the tune of 67 to 53.

Jackie Crawford, for Centenary, has reached his peak in the last few games. Although he has been hobbled by a severe knee injury, he has played magnificent ball. Repeatedly he has snared rebounds, made goals and blocked shots. Seldom in any league is found a player with the determination and courage that Jackie has shown since he was injured. Jackie will have some help from Glenn Cothorn, John Vasilopoulos, Billy Eubanks and Ralph Mason.

The invaders bring with them a formidable array of stars if not a stellar record. Ray Germany has been a ball of fire on offense and has helped make up Moreland's lag in playing due to a stomach injury. There is not much question as to the talent of Moreland; however, he has been known as an erratic player who has more than his share of bad nights. If he should have

a bad night tonight, Louisiana Tech will be in serious trouble; on the other hand, if he is hot then he could almost singlehandedly whip the Gents.

The Bulldogs will probably set

up a 2-1-2 offense, which is used to provide screens for long set shots. Against it, the Gents will throw up a modified zone defense. Centenary will probably start the game with a "shuffle offense" that breaks the little men open under the basket or the trailing big men open for a clear jump shot from the foul line.

If "Crawfish," "Hawk" Cothorn, "Weasel" Eubanks, "Munchie" Mason and "Red Hot Johnny" play inspired ball tonight, then Louisiana Tech's Bulldogs are going to return home toothless with the elation of having played a talented, determined Centenary Gent team.

## Byrd Recipient of Wis. Assistantship

Charles Byrd, a senior at Centenary, has accepted an appointment to a teaching assistantship at the University of Wisconsin for the term 1960 to 1961.

Byrd will begin the term at the University on Sept. 7, 1960, and will assist in the field of General Chemistry. While he is at the University of Wisconsin he plans to work toward the achievement of a Ph.D. in the field of Theoretical Chemistry which encompasses the fields of Physics, Mathematics, and Chemistry. At present he plans to go into basic research after obtaining his Ph.D. degree.

Byrd has taken an active part in campus activities at Centenary. At present he is serving as president of Alpha Epsilon Delta, and is a member of Omicron Delta Kappa, Alpha Sigma Chi, Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia, the Centenary College Band, and Kappa Sigma Fraternity. He is treasurer of his junior class and participated in intramurals. Last summer he received a grant to participate in the student trainee program of the Oak Ridge National Laboratory, one of 20 students in the nation to receive this honor.

## Weekend Calendar

### FRIDAY, FEB. 19

8:00 p. m.—Gents vs. Louisiana Tech, Youth Center, State Fair Grounds.

Alumni-faculty-student round-up immediately following at Moore Student Center.

### SATURDAY, FEB. 20

10:00 a. m.—Departmental open house—respective departments.

10:30 a. m.—AAUW Style Show—Moore Student Center.

12:30 p. m.—Alumni Luncheon—Moore Student Center.

2:00 p. m.—Fine Arts Montage—Marjorie Lyons Playhouse.

3:00 p. m.—Campus Tours

4:00 p. m.—Reception — T. L. James Dormitory.

8:00 p. m.—Mardi Gras — court and dance — Haynes Memorial Gymnasium.

## Gent-Tech Game Initiates Action Of Alum Weekend

The hardwoods clash between the Centenary Gents and the Louisiana Tech Bulldogs tonight will highlight the two days of Homecoming festivities today and tomorrow. The game will begin at 8:00 p. m. tonight in the Hirsch Youth Center.

Numerous activities have been planned and coordinated by the administration, faculty and student body to make this weekend a success. A gymnastics exhibition will be presented during the half-time of the game tonight and following the game, there will be an alumni-faculty-student "round-up" in the Moore Student Center.

Activities will begin tomorrow with departmental open houses at 10:00 a. m. Members and heads of the various departments will be on hand for visiting. At 10:30 a. m., in the Moore Student Center, the American Association of University Women will sponsor a style show, modeling clothes from the Fashion and shoes from Regent Shoe Store. Floral arrangements will be by Hunter Florists.

All alumni are invited to an alumni luncheon at 12:30 tomorrow in the Moore Student Center, and at 2:00 p. m. the Marjorie Lyons Playhouse will be the scene of a Fine Arts Montage, featuring presentations by Mr. Joe Gifford, the Centenary Band and Choir, and the art department.

A tour of the campus will follow, conducted by the Maroon Jackets. At 7:00 p. m., the campus fraternities and sororities will hold open houses for their alumni prior to the grand finale of the homecoming weekend—the Mardi Gras Ball and the presentation of the court in the Haynes Memorial Gymnasium. Milt Chapman and his orchestra will provide music for dancing.

## Gifford To Direct Play This Spring

Joseph Gifford will produce "Rashomon" at the Marjorie Lyons Playhouse this spring. The play fashioned from the stories of Ryunosuke Akutagawa become one of Broadway's greatest artistic triumphs of the 1959 season.

"Rashomon" was the Oscar award winning foreign film several years back. In last season's New York production of the stage play Claire Bloom, Rod Steiger and Noel Willman played the leading roles of a Japanese wife, a bandit, and the nobleman husband who meet in a forest and a great crime takes place. It was considered the most intriguing play to have been produced on Broadway in recent years, and should rank with such productions as "The Lark," "Ondine" and "Hamlet" at the local college playhouse.

## Favorite Elections

Centenary Lady and Gentleman nominations were made in chapel yesterday by the entire student body, and then nominations for class favorites were made in class meetings following chapel.

The election will take place Monday, Feb. 22, from 8:00 a. m. to 2:00 p. m. in the Moore Student Center with run-offs being Wednesday, Feb. 24, from 8:00 a. m. to 2:00 p. m. in the same place. Results will be announced after the balloting.

The election of the class favorites and Lady and Gent, the highest popularity honors conferred on a senior couple by the student body, is being sponsored by the Student Senate and they will all be featured in the Yoncopin.



## Letters To The Editor

Dear Editor,

This is in regard to your last letter about "Pamela—or Virtue Rewarded." The recent election was a complete shock to three-fourths of the student body. The meeting was never announced, so three-fourths of the student body didn't have the opportunity or privilege to vote. Can such an act be referred to as "Virtue Rewarded?"

A Disgusted Student

Dear Disgusted Student,

Word of mouth announcements were made concerning the elections but, I agree, that in the future, announcements of class meetings and elections should be made well in advance so as to inform the entire student body.

Thank you for your letter of opinion and I hope that those persons in a position to alter the situation in the future will take your letter seriously and try to improve the problem.

—P. S.

Editor,

We, as a group of residents of Rotary Hall, would like to express our opinion on the advisability of building a new boys' dorm. We feel until the majority of the "men" stop writing on the walls, stop kicking the doors in, stop throwing coke bottles down the hall at 2:00 a. m. and generally stop acting like juvenile barbarians and start acting like mature, educated young men, there is no need for a new boys' dorm no matter how much a group of man-crazy coeds want it.

However, it is our opinion that there are buildings that need building worse than Sexton Hall. A decent library and a new music building head this list. Unless something is done to raise the standard of the classroom faculties at Centenary there will not be anyone to live in the new dorms, be they for males or females.

Concerned

Dear Editor,

I have a slight suggestion to make to "whom it may concern," in regard to the required chapel programs. I am not saying that these campus meetings should be discontinued, but as long as they are required, I definitely think that they should be absolutely interdenominational as well as feature interesting speakers.

More attention would be paid and mass-studying would stop if the speakers offered beneficial, or at least interesting, speeches. As long as we are required to attend before we are allowed to graduate, more interesting programs should be considered. Must we have sermons continually?

I would like to request that this suggestion be considered in next year's planning-meeting.

Name Withheld On Request

## FACULTY COMMITTEES

Members of the 1959-60 faculty committees are as follows:

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President and Dean are ex-officio members of all committees.

## Fortenberry Asked To Compose Sonata

Assistant professor of music at Centenary, Miss Myrtis Fortenberry, has been asked to compose a Sonata for Violin and Piano to be performed at the annual Festival of Contemporary Music at Louisiana State University this year.

Sara LeBlanc, violinist for the Shreveport Symphony Orchestra, and Miss Fortenberry will present the sonata at 4:15 p. m., Sunday, March 27. The Sonata is in three movements, fast, slow and very fast.

The LSU school of music sponsors the festival annually. It consists of six programs each year. This year, the LSU Centennial Year celebration, the programs will feature composers and performers who are graduates of the university. Both Miss Fortenberry and Mrs. LeBlanc are graduates of LSU, and Miss Fortenberry also holds her master's degree in music from LSU.

Miss Fortenberry's compositions have been featured at a number of musical festivals and events in recent years. Among these compositions are her Music for Small Orchestra, performed in Baton Rouge in 1955 by the LSU Symphony Orchestra; 1954, her Sonata for Two Pianos performed at the Festival of Contemporary Music and Art in Louisville, Ky.; her Quartet for Piano and Strings, performed in 1955 at the convention of the Louisiana Music Teachers Association in Monroe; in 1958 at the LMTA convention her Quartet for Piano, Cello, Oboe and Flute was first performed; and "Archie's Confession" was performed for the first time at the LMTA convention in 1957 and was performed again at the LSU Festival in 1958.

### PRELUDE TO A FRAY?

Dull, dreary sound like a funeral dirge

Rolls out upon the crowd,

Who stand in solemn silence all

—Although with heads unbowed.

But Death's grim presence doesn't rule

The ceremony here,

Though something somber born in sound

Quite permeates the air;

For no one's dead, it's not a wake,

No army's in defeat;

It's just our Alma Mater's song

That badly wants a beat.

—J. O. Williams

## Elliot Will Lead Music Fraternity

Members of Phi Beta, fraternity of music and speech, met Monday afternoon, Feb. 15, to elect new officers for the current year. Elected were: President, Edith Elliot; Vice-President, Ruth Velotta; Secretary, Angelina DeFatta; Treasurer, Betty Jo Towery; Historian, Virginia Bobbitt; Program Chairman, Carolyn Blue; Extensions Chairman, Zollene Bennett; Projects Chairman, Janet Gholson. The new officers will be installed at the next meeting, on Feb. 22, when their term of office will begin.

## LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



## Homecoming

### Mickle Stresses Support

We want to make our 1960 Homecoming on February 19-20 the best we have ever had. This cannot be done without your cooperation.

Although Centenary dates back to 1825, our group of ex-students and graduates is relatively small. This means that we need a high percentage of turnout for the success of this Homecoming occasion and this, in turn, means that each individual graduate and ex-student assumes proportionate importance.

If you do not live in the Shreveport area and, perhaps, have not been on the Centenary campus for a number of years this is a good opportunity to make a special effort to view the recent progress of your college at first hand. An especially warm welcome will be accorded you, and the reward for your effort will be great.

If you live in the Shreveport area we hope you will not permit your familiarity with the changes which have taken place on the Centenary campus keep you from making a special effort to be with us.

A good program has been planned, but the success of the occasion depends upon your attendance. Friends of former years, our faculty, and student body will be here to greet you.

JOE J. MICKLE, President

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The administration and faculty members and numerous students have been working for almost a month planning and coordinating activities for the Homecoming Celebration today and tomorrow. A number of activities and events are being presented, free of charge, and with no work or effort from the majority of the student body.

All students are urged to participate in these events and, thereby, to make the festivities a success.

A calendar of events is posted on the front page. Look it over and attend as many of the events as possible.



The Centenary College

## Conglomerate

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# Gents To Leash Bulldogs Tonight

## Giants Best Gents By 15 Point Win

The Centenary Gents were bested by the Mississippi Southern Golden Giants in Hattiesburg, Miss., Monday, Feb. 15, by a margin of 88 to 73.

Jackie Crawford made some fine spin-jumps and hook shots even though suffering from a bad leg. He picked up four fouls in the first half and had to watch carefully later when he returned to the final 20 minutes of play. He totaled 20 points, just five less than the high scorer of the game, Southern's Don Curry with 25.

Billy Eubanks was the Gents' high scorer with 23 points. During the first half the campus cagers once narrowed Southern's lead to nine points, but could get no closer. It was narrowed to eight early in the second half.

Glen Cothorn also wound up in the double figures with a final total of 13. The Mississippi squad had five players scoring totals of more than 10.

The Gents hit 33.7 per cent from the field and tossed in 17 out of 19 foul shots. Southern hit 49.1 from the charity line.

Centenary now has an 11-10 record and needs one victory in its final three games to rack up a .500 record. The Gents face the Tech Bulldogs tonight and then meet Northwestern Louisiana at Natchitoches and Spring Hill at home for their final games.

CENTENARY (73)									
	FGA	FG	FTA	FT	PF	TP			
Eubanks	20	10	4	3	3	23			
Vasilopoulos	9	1	2	2	0	4			
Mason	7	2	2	2	2	6			
Cothorn	19	5	11	1	3	11			
Ramming	3	1	0	0	0	2			
King	9	2	4	3	4	7			
McHone	1	0	0	0	1	0			
Dubose	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Crawford	18	7	6	6	4	20			
Teal	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Totals	83	28	18	17	14	73			

MISS. SOUTHERN (88)									
	FGA	FG	FTA	FT	PF	TP			
Curry	17	10	6	5	0	25			
Della	6	3	8	7	3	13			
Lundberg	12	4	5	4	4	12			
Pulliam	12	7	2	1	0	15			
Goldberg	3	1	0	0	2	2			
Clinton	2	0	2	2	1	2			
Migliazzo	13	8	2	1	1	17			
Gantt	4	1	0	0	1	2			
Totals	69	34	25	20	13	88			

### BASEBALL NOTICE

Baseball practice officially begins March 1. Anyone desiring to try out for the team is asked to leave his name at the athletic department.

## Allen Represents Campus At Meet

Dr. J. Howard Allen represented Centenary College at the third annual Southwest Association of Student Personnel Administrators Conference. The conference was held in Hot Springs, Ark.

Dr. Allen, dean of students on the local campus, led a discussion on the conference theme, "Completing the Academic." The meeting was concluded on the evening of Feb. 15, and Dr. Allen has now returned to the Centenary campus.

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Giving fore-game instruction to the Centenary Gents is Coach Orvis Seigler. The Gents will meet the Louisiana Tech Bulldogs tonight at 8:00 p. m. on the boards of the Hirsch Youth Center at the fair grounds.

## Gent Statistics

Players	g	fga	fg	pct	fta	ft	pct	rbs	avg	pf	dp	pts	avg
Jackie Crawford	20	315	132	.395	124	71	.573	205	10.3	64	6	335	16.9
Billy Eubanks	20	259	99	.385	48	36	.750	72	3.6	50	3	234	11.7
Glenn Cothorn	20	267	96	.358	66	36	.545	129	6.5	73	8	228	11.4
Dale Van Bibber**	17	150	65	.433	65	39	.600	147	8.6	58	6	169	10.0
Larry Greene**	16	134	51	.381	62	43	.694	79	5.0	48	2	145	9.0
Ford King, Jr.	16	45	23	.511	4	3	.750	18	1.1	25	1	49	3.1
Ralph Mason	18	62	19	.306	32	18	.563	61	3.4	25	2	56	3.1
John Vasilopoulos	19	54	18	.333	21	12	.571	40	2.0	25	0	48	2.5
Jim Mitchell**	10	21	7	.333	12	5	.417	21	2.1	15	0	19	1.9
Wayne Dubose	16	23	9	.391	17	10	.588	24	1.5	13	0	28	1.8
Arnie McHone	8	12	3	.250	1	0	.000	3	.5	0	0	6	.8
Mike Ramming	4	0	0	.000	2	0	.000	1	.2	2	0	0	.0
Team Rebounds								123					
Centenary Totals	20	1343	522	.390	451	273	.616	921	46.0	397	28	1317	65.9
Opponents' Totals	20	1305	481	.368	551	398	.712	948	47.4	355	10	1360	68.0

\*\*Ineligible at mid-term.

Statistics valid prior to Monday night, Feb. 15, game with Mississippi Southern.

## Three Basketball Teams Undefeated

Three teams remain undefeated in men's intramural competition, as of Monday, Feb. 15. These teams are Golden Pheasants, Kappa Alpha and Kappa Sigma.

Game schedules for next week are as follows:

### TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23

- 7:00 p. m.—Blackhawks vs. BSU
- 7:45 p. m.—Kappa Sigma vs. Golden Pheasants
- 8:25 p. m.—Cossa's Robbers vs. MSM

### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25

- 6:00 p. m.—Kappa Alpha vs. Golden Pheasants
- 6:45 p. m.—Blackhawks vs. MSM
- 7:45 p. m.—Kappa Sigma vs. Cossa's Robbers

Rounds One and Two have been completed, leaving the aforementioned three teams undefeated. Results from these two rounds are as follows: Golden Pheasants defeated Cossa's Robbers 18 to 16 and defeated the Blackhawks 39 to 19. Kappa Alpha remains undefeated after bouts with Blackhawks and BSU, with the respective scores of 26-23 and 23-13. BSU and MSM fell under the victorious Kappa Sigma team with scores of 39 to 12 and 26 to 21.

## Chi Omega Ranks Top In Basketball

Feb. 23—MSM vs. ZTA

Feb. 24—Chi Omega vs. Independents.

All games are played at 5:45 p. m. and all students are invited to come observe.

Team standings as of Monday, February 15, place Chi Omega in first place with two wins. Following with one win each are Alpha Xi Delta and MSM.

Individual events in badminton and ping pong began this week. All participants are asked to check the schedule in the athletic department.

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# ROUND BIG C CENTENARY

By GINNY EMERSON

Judy Meredith was the houseguest of Nancy Dixon in Camden, Ark.; Sammie Kay Smith was hosted by Penny Hawkins in Texarkana.

The Valentine decorations highlighted the annual Alpha Xi Delta formal Saturday, Feb. 13, in the Moore Student Center.

Judy Herbert, Ray Squires, Kay France, Ryan Horton, Pheribee Monroe and Max Prescott were a few of those seen gliding across the dance floor.

A belated congratulations to Donna Howell and Ronnie Doler.

Some KA actives Hoot Evers and Ralph Akin, are suffering bruises, lacerations and scratches from their vigorous pledges' activities.

The ZTA actives were awakened to an invitation to breakfast at the Town and Country Motel. Gerry Rawlinson, Marty Long, Rhodes twins and Mary Bostick were some of those attending.

Jimmie Hamric, "Teddy Bear," Bill Jonsson and George Hamilton were a few of those frolicking in the snow in Natchitoches this past weekend. Coushatta was the scene of another snowball fight at midnight Friday. Pete Mangum, Jack Mulkey, Harold Price, and Tommy Hickcox were among those enjoying the snow.

Jeri Cassady and Mrs. Whitmer, Kappa Sig house mother, made coffee and cookies for the open house Sunday afternoon honoring the new Kappa Sigma pledges. Mary Allen, Theo Klemann, Virginia Bobbitt and Gene LaCaze were a few of those at the house.

Mary Lou Gassen, Jack Green, Nuell Willingham, Jackie Rosett and Dave Glass were some of those seen dancing at the Kappa Sigma party Friday night.

Congratulations to new campus "dropees!" Recently gifted with the letters of Kappa Sigma were Joy Camerer from Bobby Ross and

Gail Yarborough from Buddy Hawkins. Congratulations, fellows!

Congratulations are extended to Esmund Fatter, Glen Cothorn, Jack Green and Charles Pattison on pledging Kappa Sigma Wednesday night and to Steve Victory for his initiation into the brotherhood.

## Carpenter Heads Corps Battle Group

Lieutenant Colonel Robert S. Scott in an order issued January 23 announced that William E. Carpenter will command the Centenary ROTC Battle Group. Carpenter, a senior English major from Winnsboro, has the rank of Lieutenant Colonel. Also promoted was Winston Miller, who became Battle Group Executive Officer and holds the rank of Major.

This semester Carpenter initiates his new plan to better train third year students by having them rotate in leadership positions. Each cadet will serve in either a staff or company level position for three weeks and then be rotated to another position.

Serving as assistant to the Executive Officer is Cadet First Lieutenant James Daigle of Shreveport. Cadet Second Lieutenant Gene LaCaze, also of Shreveport, will act as Battle Group S-1 in charge of administration.

Acting as Company Commanders for the first three-week tour are Cadet Master Sergeant Ralph A. Mason, Jr., Sergeant First Class J. E. McGraw, Master Sergeant W. B. Jones, and Sergeant First Class J. M. Goins. Acting Executive Officers are Sergeant W. H. Towery, Sergeant First Class J. W. Green III, and D. G. Meisner. Company First Sergeants are Sergeant C. H. Hembree, Sergeant K. E. Bond, Master Sergeant D. R. Simmons, and Master Sergeant C. W. Sims.

## Vaught Will Serve As SGE President

T. Alex Vaught will serve as president of Sigma Gamma Epsilon, honorary geological fraternity, for the spring semester. Serving with Vaught will be David Forte, in the capacity of vice-president. Other new officers are Preston Jones, secretary; Joe Warner, treasurer; James Teacle, corresponding secretary; and Frank Cox, sergeant-at-arms.

The new slate of officers was set up at the organization's monthly meeting Tuesday, Feb. 9.



"Mama Mia!" exclaims Jill Landis, junior, while enjoying pizza with the other personalities this week. The atmosphere of the Piccadilly Pizza House, a favorite restaurant among the college set, enraptures Don Couvillion, freshman; Nancy Stobaugh, sophomore; and Coan Knight, senior.

## Fun Lovin' Students Enjoy Life

By MAURY JOHNSTON

"Once when I was hiking the Appalachian Trail, I was chased by six bears," confides freshman Don Couvillion. "We were sitting around the campfire after supper when I looked up and there stood a bear. I very calmly announced to the other boys, 'Now look, fellows, don't get shook, but there is a bear behind you.'" Don insists that he merely wanted to observe the bear from a distance. The next thing he knew, the whole group was flying through the woods with pursuit.

Don, who lives in Shreveport, is president of the Kappa Sigma pledge class and is majoring in pre-med. Although he doesn't own a boat or a stereo record player, he lists his favorite hobbies as listening to good music and water skiing.

At present, Don is occupied with compiling material for a book on ingenious ways to make dorm life miserable: i. e. wired door knobs and scotch tape on water faucets. Since he lives at home, Don is at liberty to practice his arts without serious repercussions.

### SNOW FIGHTER

This week's sophomore personality is Nancy Stobaugh. She hails from Little Rock and is a newcomer on the Centenary Campus this semester. Nancy was a member of the lost class of 1959 in Little Rock. Instead of graduating from high school last year, she entered Hendrix College in Arkansas at semester. Here at Centenary she is majoring in elementary education.

Nancy, along with the rest of the student body, was very unhappy when the snow didn't stick last Monday. She remembers when the Hendrix students put the snow to good use by packing the door of their science building solidly with snow.

"If it ever snows here at Centenary, I'll be on hand to direct another snow-packing party if anyone is interested."

### BLUEBERRIES LANDIS

"Please tell everyone that my name is Jill Ann Landis and not Blueberries. Ever since our trio started singing, people who don't know my name just yell Blueberries when they see me."

Jill, a junior from Beaumont, Texas, is a religious education major. She is active in the Centenary Choir and Chi Omega Sorority.

Jill is forever creating excitement on choir tours. One year while staying in DeRidder, Jill and her roommate, Barbara Bourdier, were seized with the desire to harmonize at two in the morning. They crept down the stairs and into the den of their host. There was a piano! They were soon happily singing Bermuda. Suddenly their host appeared with a shocked look on his face. "Is everyone in the choir this dedicated?" the man questioned.

Now that Jill is twenty-one, she states her motto is that of Agnes in Auntie Mame, "Live! Live! Live!"

### NICK NAME KNIGHT

Coan Knight also suffers from nick name trouble. It seems that his name was misprinted in the Military Ball program. He is now known as Joan Knight.

Coan is a senior and editor of the Yoncopin this year. He re-

ceived the Publications Award in 1959, has served as treasurer of Kappa Sigma Fraternity, president of Delta Tau Omicron, and is a member of Omicron Delta Kappa. Coan was chosen to appear in Who's Who for 1960.

Everyone loves to play jokes on Coan because he is so gullible. One day he found a note on the dorm bulletin board addressed to him. It read: Call this number; a man has a box for you. Coan rushed right up and called. "I asked for my box," sighed Coan, "and the man who answered cheerily told me I had called the funeral home."

## Warters Speaker At Sorority Meet

Alpha Xi Delta held a joint meeting of pledges and actives on Monday night, Feb. 15, at 6:30. To begin the new semester the group invited Dr. Mary Warters, a charter member of Alpha Xi Delta on the Centenary campus, to speak to the group.

## Falcons Entertain At Valentine Dance

By SANDRA WHITLOCK

Alpha Xi Delta was hostess at the Valentine Dance in the Student Union Building last Saturday night.

The Falcons, a new band from Louisiana Tech, kept the dancers active all night long with a wide variety of music ranging from their theme song, "The Flight of the Falcons," to a special rendition of "Quiet Village" from the album "Exotica," complete with simulated bird calls. Such numbers as "Blue Moon" and "Unforgettable" were then contrasted with a rousing version of "When the Saints Go Marching In," which brought the whole band off the stage and onto the dance floor.

To set the proper atmosphere for the Valentine Day's theme, the SUB was decorated with scores of hearts hanging from the ceiling, and a huge red heart covered with artificial red flowers set in one corner of the room. A special Valentine tree decorated the stage with heart-shaped leaves.

At midnight the Alpha Xi's and their dates went to the house of an Alpha Xi alumna, Jeannette DeSadier, for a breakfast.

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## Bazer, Fletcher Vie For Gent Today

Barbara Ann Hyde, El Dorado, Ark., was elected Centenary Lady by the student body in a runoff election Wednesday, Feb. 23. The two candidates for Centenary Gentleman, Fuller Bazer, Shreveport, and Dub Fletcher, DeRidder, will be in a second runoff today. Abbie Terry, El Dorado, Ark., was the other candidate for Centenary Lady in the Wednesday runoff.

Newly elected class favorites are as follows: Mary Beth Bomar, Bossier City, and Fred Willis, Coushatta — senior; Linda Rosett, Shreveport, and Ralph Mason, Selma, Ala.—junior; Ginny Emerson and Jerry Jouett, both of Shreveport—sophomore; Cathie Franklin, IDaas and Don Couvillion, Shreveport—freshman.

Nominated for Centenary Lady on the first ballot were Cornelia Agurs, Mary Beth Bomar, Jeri Cassady, and Miss Terry, who reached the run-offs with Miss Hyde. The primary ballot for Centenary Gentleman listed Fred Willis and Conrad Wooley, the latter reaching the run-offs with Bazer and Fletcher.

Senior favorite nominees defeated in the first race were Mary Lou Lowe, Dalna Worley and Harold Price. en Hayes reached the Wednesday runoffs only to be defeated by Willis.

In the sophomore class, Jean Stevens was in the primary race with Emerson, and Paul McMahan ran against Dan Herndon and Jerry Jouett. Jouett was victorious over Herndon in the runoff.

Vying in the freshman class were Joy Camerer, Desa Crawford, Cathie Franklin and Jean Netterville, with Camerer and Franklin reaching the runoffs, and Don Couvillion, Esmund Fatter, Buddy Hawkins and Ryan Horton, with Fatter and Couvillion reaching the runoffs.

## Exhibit Features "Centenary Girls"

Mr. Ben Kinel, Shreveport photographer, is exhibiting his fifteen "Centenary Girls of 1960" in the Moore Student Center. The young ladies featured in the exhibit are Cornelia Agurs, Mary Beth Bomar, Lorine Crenshaw, Gail Delaney, Connie Gathright, Becky Graham, Barbara Ann Hyde, Joy Lambert, Ann McLaurin, Marie Nelson, Lyndra Pate, Linda Rosett, Patsy Stamps, Frankie Stokes, and Jerry Williams.

Each year Mr. Kinel's Broadmoor Studio takes a poll to select the most deserving, hardest working, and the most popular as well as most representative leaders at Centenary to feature as the "Centenary Girls."

Last year, only nine girls were selected, but this year the program was enlarged to include fifteen. Each of the girls will receive a print of their proof as a gift from the studio.

## Centenary Hosts Rapid Learners

Centenary College was host this last week to some 480 fifth and sixth graders from all over Caddo Parish.

The students were members of accelerated rapid-learner classes which are given extra projects, and taken on special tours. Throughout the week of Feb. 15-19, they were conducted through the various departments of the Science Building at Centenary, including the departments of Physics, Mathematics, Geology, Biology, Chemistry, and Industrial Technology.

The children visited the Science Building in groups of 60 children each from the hours of 9 until 11 o'clock and from 12 until 2. They spent around 20 minutes in each department viewing equipment and observing several demonstrations, some of which were executed by various college students. Some of the students aiding in the demonstrations were Carolyn Searcy and Bill Bolen in the Mathematics Department, and Terry Smith, Henry Nicholson, David Simmons, Albert Cooksey, Charles Byrd, Lewis Brandt, and John Green in the Physics Department.

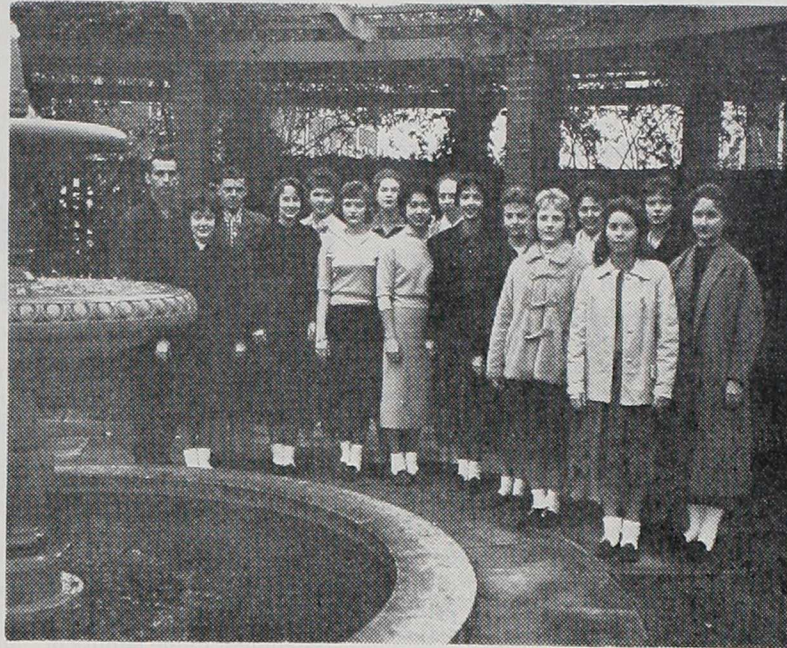
If this program proves to be successful, plans will be made on a more advanced level to open the Science Building to a group of 70 Bossier High School science students who will visit the campus on Tuesday, Feb. 23, between the hours of 9:30 and 11:30 and 12:30 and 2:30.

## Simmons Recipient Of Science Award

David R. Simmons, a junior physics major at Centenary, has been presented the award for the highest scholastic achievement for the first semester of freshman chemistry.

The award, *The Handbook of Chemistry and Physics* was presented to Simmons last Tuesday, Feb. 16 by Dr. Entrikin in recognition of his scholastic achievement. Each year The Chemical Rubber Company of Cleveland makes possible the presentation of the handbook.

Simmons is a member of the Baptist Student Union, the Physics Club, and the ROTC Rifle Team.



Members of Kappa Pi, national honorary art fraternity, are as follows, from left to right on the first row: Cathie Franklin, Amy Matthews, Carole Van Hoose, Marilyn Tonyman, Gerry Rawlinson, Kay Woodruff, Mitzi Kleinhans, Martha Kelly and Ann Morrisette. On the second row, from left to right are: Alva Holland, Jr., Joe Sartor, Susan Nethery, Frankie R. Lachle, Mary Margaret Farmer, Becky Graham and Linda Erickson.

## National Art Fraternity Organized On Campus

Gamma Omicron chapter of Kappa Pi, national honorary art fraternity, has been organized on campus under the general direction of Willard Cooper, head of the art department. Mrs. Raymond Kerr, assistant professor of art at Lamar State College of Technology in Beaumont, Tex., and faculty sponsor of the chapter there, will assist in the installation ceremonies of the new group. She will bring a delegation of members of the Lamar Tech chapter with her.

Officers of the Centenary chapter are the following: president, Frankie R. Lachle; vice-president, Mary Margaret Farmer; secretary, Marilyn Tonyman, and treasurer, Joe Sartor; and Cooper and Miss Betty Friedenberg will serve as faculty sponsors.

The charter members, in addition to the officers, are the following: Linda Sue Brown, Linda Erickson, Cathie Franklin, Becky Graham, Alva Holland, Jr., Louise Ibrahim, Martha Kelly, Amy Matthews, Mitzi Kleinhans, Anne McClure, Ann Morrisette, Gerry Rawlinson, Susan Nethery, Carole Van Hoose, Kay Woodruff and Wayne Woodward.

Purposes of the organization will be to promote interest in art among college students, to bring art departments of various schools into closer cooperation and fellowship through activities, to stimu-

late higher scholarship and to recognize potential professional ability in art. Cooper said the organization also will promote the work of art students through the official publication, "The Sketch Book."

Upperclassmen with high averages in art classes and talented underclassmen who show ability and who are recommended by their instructors will be considered for membership, which shall be restricted to students with artistic interests and achievements. A requirement for all members is the maintenance of high scholarship in art classes.

Included in the coming plans for the group are a student exhibit during the Fine Arts Festival Week, an art workshop in the spring and frequent field trips to sketch and paint.

Bill Bryant and the late Don Brown are honorary members of the chapter, because the move to get the fraternity on campus was initiated under them.

## Faculty Recitals Begin March 8

The annual faculty recital series, including four programs to be presented by faculty members of the school of music, will begin on March 8. All of the recitals will be given in the Brown Memorial Chapel and will be open to the public without charge.

Running, director of the school of music, will be the featured soloist on the initial program, Tuesday, March 8, at 8:15 p. m. He is a cum laude graduate of St. Olaf College in Northfield, Minn., and is completing his doctoral requirements at Florida State University in Tallahassee. In addition to serving as director of the school of music, Running is professor of piano and serves as organist and choirmaster of the Broadmoor Methodist Church. He is currently presenting a series of lecture-recitals at the Shreveport Woman's Department Club and has been invited to present a recital on April 17 on the famed A. W. Mellon Series in the National Gallery of Art in Washington, D. C.

A member of the school of music teaching staff and member of the Shreveport Symphony Orchestra, Rule Beasley, will present a piano recital at the second program in the series, March 29. He holds the MM degree from the University of Illinois.

The third program on April 29, will be presented by Monas Harlan, associate professor of voice, accompanied by Miss Myrtis Fortenberry, assistant professor of music. Harlan has made several European tours with the All-American Chorus and is currently tenor soloist at St. Mark's Episcopal Church. Miss Fortenberry holds her bachelor and music degrees from Louisiana State University's school of music. She has been commissioned to compose a sonata for violin and piano for the Contemporary Music Festival at LSU this year. Her previous compositions have won a number of awards.

Instrumentalists who are members of the school of music faculty will be guest artists at the final recital of the series on May 10. Sam Terranova is concertmaster of the Shreveport Symphony and will be violinist for the group; Beasley will be bassoonist, Richard Jennings will play the French horn, and Miss Fortenberry will play the piano.

### HOLIDAY MONDAY!

There will be no classes Monday, Feb. 29, as a holiday has been proclaimed by President J. Mickle. Due to the shortened week following, there will be no *Conglomerate* next Friday.



## Worthwhile or Not?

By KATHY MACK

After the activities of the past weekend, I interviewed many people concerning the success of Centenary's homecoming weekend and factors contributing to the way in which it was received. Here are some specific comments by four individuals I interviewed and some generalizations based on both what I think and what others I interviewed thought.

**Jim Daigle:** There was a much smaller crowd than I expected. The open houses Saturday were probably a failure because of the weather. At the Mardi Gras ball I think the entertainment did not move quickly enough. As a whole, I think it will build over a period of years and that this will be due to the students and administration working together; this year mainly the students on the gymnastic team and the Student Senate worked on it.

**Jeri Cassidy:** As far as I'm concerned, Homecoming's apparent unsuccess was a result of people being unwilling to accept something new from the top office. Later it will have a positive value by contributing to the school interest, for Centenary does need a Homecoming. The planning which was the work of a few individuals and the administration was not appreciated as much as it could have been; rather, it was resented. It was very well organized, though.

**Johnny Evans:** I think it's a good thing to open the school to the alums. The student participation was fine but limited to the activities that directly concerned them. There was no mixing of the students, faculty, and alums at the reception after the ballgame, however.

**Professor Willard Cooper:** Centenary needs a Homecoming because it needs the continued interest of the alumnae and their support. The first attempt was not too successful, but a program such as this will improve over a number of years. I'm a Centenary graduate myself and I enjoy talking to a few of the people with whom I graduated. Most colleges and universities have Homecoming and graduates come from miles away to participate in the activities. If you believe in a private, liberal arts college and in the education which you received there, in contrast to that of a state-supported school, then I think you will agree that it is worthwhile to support the private school both by a continued interest in it and by supplementary finances to its limited income.

Some general criticisms and remarks about the activities were that the administration interfered too much, there was a lack of interest on the part of the students, not enough alums came, and that the weather was a handicap. This year's Homecoming is over, but I think it was a needed step. By overcoming some of this year's detrimental factors, much improvement can be made to build up this as a tradition in future years.

## Letters to the Editor

### To Whom It May Concern:

Having spent four years in the military, I have been exposed openly to their method of taking the simplest operation and completely fouling it up. This has been the case in reference to the person who planned the snack bar in the Sub. One simple solution to expedite the serving of coffee on the break would be to draw forty cups of coffee and let one of the persons behind the counter do nothing at the break but collect for the coffee. This would allow more people to get coffee quicker and I feel more people would come to the Sub for coffee. The loss on this operation due to coffee getting cold could be nullified by pouring the cold coffee back into the urn with the hot coffee thereby reheating it. This is in part a solution to sell more at the Sub quicker and I hope other students come up with other ideas that will help expedite the serving in the Sub.

Freddy W.

### Dear Editor,

It has been said, "To lose one's individuality is to invite self destruction." Individuality is one of the most important basic personality traits in the human psychological make-up. How any one person or group of persons could desire such a loss is beyond my comprehension.

This, figuratively speaking, is paralleled in the animal kingdom. They, each in their own habitat, live, not independently, but collectively. Each obtaining from the other incentives, nourishment and drives which, when isolated, would prove their destruction. They live in harmony according to groups, not singularly.

It is only right for like beings to be drawn together and unlike groups to be separated by their vast differences. This does not mean total rejection, but because of their psychological differences and varying levels of mentality, a close personal bond is impossible.

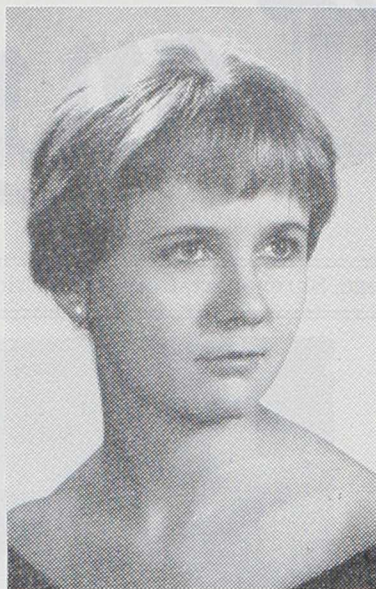
For those who have been condemning these natural associations, I say—until you have a complete knowledge of the psychological maze of the human personality, cease this needless persecution. Give a little, take a little—in short, conform to the natural tendency of life. Just as oil and water do not mix, neither do idiots and geniuses (exaggerated), but with each contributing to the other, harmony can be obtained.

Name Withheld on Request

### Dear Editor,

It is common knowledge that the food in the cafeteria is as good as can be found. The students appreciate this fact. However, twice during the last two weeks, students have taken nice big bites of greens and have found themselves chewing nice, big, juicy, boiled roaches. Even though the roaches are most probably tender, because of the conditioning I have received from my parents, I would rather not have such delicacies on my menu. I would appreciate it if something could be done to alter the situation.

A Cautious and Hungry Eater



## Magazine Chooses Stafford for Board

Centenary College is represented on the College Board of "Mademoiselle" magazine for the first time in a number of years through the talents and efforts of Nora Bess Stafford, senior English major with an interest in college fashions.

Nora Bess was notified of her appointment to the Board last week shortly after submitting her first assignment to the editors of "Mademoiselle": a discussion of the question, "How much control do students have over their education?" It was on the basis of this discussion that she was chosen to serve on the Board, which consists of 819 representatives from 314 colleges throughout the United States, whose purpose it is to submit to the magazine ideas and trends in all phases of college life.

From their work of the Board and from extra individual assignments submitted, "Mademoiselle" editors will select 20 Guest Editors from the 819 Board Members to prepare the 1960 August College issue. All areas of the issue, including writing, fashion, advertising, and art are to be prepared by the Guest Editors. To accomplish this, the Editors will be taken to New York for four weeks next June to write, illustrate and edit the issue. Editors will also be given the opportunity to interview the personality of their choice in their particular field. For this competition, Nora Bess plans to write an overall evaluation and stylization of the "college look" in fashion. And about going to New York, should she be chosen a Guest Editor, she says, "It would be absolutely out of this world."

College Board members, regardless of the classification when first appointed, remain on the Board until their graduation from college. Because of this, Nora Bess encourages any girls who may be interested in the program to begin their preparations at the earliest possible date.

### NOTICE

G. Thomas Baumgardner, personnel representative of the Ohio Oil Company, will speak in the Science Lecture Hall at 1:30 a. m. March 8. Everyone is invited. This is the first meeting of the "Business Sessions" for Commerce majors to be held once a month at the activity period.

### MSM NOTICE

MSM will not meet Sunday, Feb. 28, because of the holiday Monday

## LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



## Election Proposal

Dear Editor,

I represent the Junior Class as its president. As its representative, I feel I should express the views of the majority of individuals of that class and not the opinion of one or two organizations. Many individuals have complained to me about organizational bloc voting and "Power Politics" which exist on this campus. I happen to be a member of one of these organizations, but I feel that the situation warrants honest consideration.

Under the present system, organizations and non-organizational "Powers" not only bloc vote, which may or may not be bad, but some of them literally pull voters to the polls and in a very nice way tell them for whom they are going to vote. I think this is bad and that something ought to be done. If one-hundred voters are forced to vote a certain way, and the candidate who wins would not have won if these votes had not been counted, then the conscientious, individual vote has been nullified by the "Powers" that be. The argument is often raised, "Those individuals were not necessarily forced to vote, they just didn't know the candidates and were helped in their decision." I maintain, however, that a person who does not know the candidates or anything about them is not a qualified voter.

I propose a solution for at least two elections which are held annually. Compulsory chapels for cheerleader try-outs and Student Senate election speeches are attended by a small minority, and only that small minority is qualified to vote. If chapel cards could be given to those who attend and only those who attend were allowed to vote, I think the most capable candidates would win a majority of the time. If someone has a better solution, I wish that person would let me know by writing to the Conglomerate. If no better proposal is made, the above system should be tried in order to alleviate the problem.

James H. Daigle



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## Freshman Talents To Present Follies

For the next two weeks, the cast of the Freshman Follies will be closeted in the Marjorie Lyons Playhouse. In their effort to turn out a professional show, the freshmen are practicing every week night and all day on weekends.

The choreography is under the direction of Bobette Oken, who has danced in many Playhouse productions. "We are going to prove that the freshman class has more than enough talent to put on a show such as this," says Bobette.

The chorus is being directed by Sandy Lawn, freshman music major. He is also head pianist for the show. Assisting Sandy as pianist is Alice Ruth Herrington. Costumes are under the direction of Beverly Crawford and Ellen Wilson and Jackie Rosett is in charge of the box office.

The show has now been revised and will consist of two acts: Annie Get Your Gun, and Oklahoma. The leads in Annie are: Lorine Crenshaw as Annie; Ez Fatter as Frank Butler; Al Pius as Sittin' Bull; Bobby Ross as Wilson and Jerry La Bruey as Charlie Davenport. The leads for Oklahoma are: Betsy Gould as Laurey; Barry Hope as Curley; Jackie Rosett as Aunt Ella; Ryan Horton as Will Parker; Nancy Evans as Ado Annie; and Rick Biggs as Jud.

The businesses in Shreveport have very graciously provided free paint and cardboard for use on the sets. The Libbey-Owens Company provided the cardboard and ten different paint stores have each donated a gallon of paint.

The Freshman Follies will be presented at the Marjorie Lyons Playhouse on March 11th and 12th. Everyone mark that date!

## Chi O, MSM Tie For First Place

The third week of the basketball tournament came up with Chi Omega and MSM teams tied for first place. Each has two wins and no losses. Alpha Xi Delta is in second place with two wins and one loss.

Tuesday, Feb. 23, MSM and ZTA met and Wednesday, Feb. 24, Chi Omega and Independents met. Tuesday night, March 1, Chi Omega and MSM will meet for perhaps the best games of the season.

The Ping Pong tournament began last week with Ann Hardtner serving as tournament chairman.

The MSM and Alpha Xi Delta teams both won last week by a double forfeiture of the Zeta teams. Sandy Whitlock and Kay France bowled for Alpha Xi. MSM had Judy Mayo and Carol Tyler up.

### BSU BANQUET

The date of the annual Baptist Student Union Installation Banquet has been set for Friday, March 25. It will be held in the Moore Student Center at 7:00 p.m. and everyone is welcome.

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"I can't get a man with a gun, darn it!" says Lorine "Annie" Crenshaw as she gazes at handsome Esmund "Frank Butler" Fatter. The couple is rehearsing for the Freshman Follies, March 11 and 12.

## Kappa Sigma Team Remains Undeclared

### BASKETBALL RESULTS

#### Round 3:

Cossa's Robbers over Blackhaws by forfeit.

MSM over Kappa Alpha, 31-26.

Golden Pheasants over BSU, 25-24.

#### Round 4:

Kappa Sigma over Kappa Alpha, 28-11.

Cossa's Robbers over BSU, 30-12.

MSM over Golden Pheasants, 39-27.

### GAME SCHEDULE

The following games will be played on Tuesday, March 2. Kappa Sigma is the only undefeated team in the league.

7:00 p.m. BSU vs. MSM

7:45 p.m. Kappa Alpha vs. Cossa's Robbers

8:25 p.m. Blackhaws vs. Kappa Sigma

### TENNIS SINGLES

The following contestants must play on or before the deadline of Feb. 29.

Duggan vs. Green

Ramming vs. Victory

Lloyd vs. Sanders

Graham vs. Gibson

Fletcher vs. Eubanks

Bennett vs. Schwendimann

King vs. Lang

White vs. Mason

Derbes vs. Willis

### TENNIS DOUBLES

The following contestants must play on or before the deadline of Feb. 29.

White and Lang vs. Gibson and Bennett.

Graham and Schwendimann vs. Eubanks and Ensley.

### HORSESHOES

The following contestants must play on or before the deadline of March 1.

Williams vs. Schwendimann

Rodzekowski vs. Crawford

Washka vs. Bennett

Eksweller vs. Victory

Meisner vs. McHone

## SPORTS SPOTLIGHT

By DAVE GLASS

Springhill comes to town tomorrow night to try to avenge an earlier defeat by the Gents. The first time the Gents won in Mobile by a score of 72 to 62. Some observers seem to think that that time Springhill was very lucky.

Coach Glenn Murphy's charges are led by one able rebounder and one able shot. Zarcone is the man to block under the boards and Owens needs to be watched while he has the ball. Springhill's hopes seem to lie in controlling the boards in the absence of Gent Jackie Crawford. Offensive wise, the invaders will probably use the pivot man for screening and cross court passes.

Centenary will be weakened tomorrow by the loss of Jackie Crawford. He is side-lined by his long ailing knee. Ralph Mason and Glenn Cothorn will be called upon to do the rebounding in his absence.

This is the last game of the season and the Gents have earned your praise and your presence. Let's all come out and repay, in some small way, the Gents for their tremendous effort this season.

The Gents are now faced with the necessity of winning their season finale in order to finish with a .500 record. After their loss to Northwestern Tuesday night, they are 11-12 with the Mobile crew coming in tomorrow. The team needs our support—let's give it to them!

## Gym Team Enters Mardi Gras Meet

The Centenary Gymnastic Team will compete in the Mardi Gras open invitational gymnastic meet on Saturday, Feb. 27, in Baton Rouge. Other teams entered are Southwestern Louisiana Institute, Northwestern State College, Louisiana State University, Florida State University and a number of independent groups.

Team members making the trip and events entered are listed as follows: Don Farley, side horse; Robert Edler, side horse and long horse; Larry Madden, rope climb; Hoyt Bain, free calisthenics and long horse; Tally Pledger, free calisthenics, rings, tumbling, parallel bars and long horse; Bill Nelson, side horse; Richard Haynes, free calisthenics and tumbling; Bob Sorensen, free calisthenics, long horse and side horse; Walter Low, side horse; and John Morneau, rope climb.

Richard Haynes is the only team member who has ever entered gymnastic competition. While a high school student, he won the free calisthenics championship two years straight.



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"I dub thee, Bud," says freshman personality Esmund Fatter as he cuts up with the other personalities in anticipation of the Mardi Gras festivities. Ann Morrisette and Marilyn Thaxton watch as Bud Willis kneels.

## 'ROUND BIG C CENTENARY

By Carol Reichelt

The latest social event of the season was the Mardi Gras Ball held last Saturday in connection with Centenary's Homecoming. Reigning over the royal affair were Queen **Mary Allen** and King "Dub" **Fletcher**. The royal talent ranged from a trio made up of **Jill Landis**, **Kay Cooper** and **Butchie McCuistion** to **Larry Maden's** "one hand stand."

It seems that **Beverly Wingo**, **John Lemmons**, **Grace Jackson**, **Dick Johns**, **Sandy Gaskin**, **Barry Hope**, **Paul McMahan**, **Linda Kay Ellington**, **Barry Nelson**, **Betsy Gould** and **The Ronald Radzikowskis** were all having a grand time dancing to Milt Chapman's music.

Completing the big night with pizza at the Picadilly were: **Elizabeth Reeves**, **Rod Yeager**, **Margaret Reeves**, **Spiro Cosse**, **Jerry Jouett**, **Marilyn Thaxton**, **Betty Schmitt**, **John Lawrence**, **Norma Strother** and **Joe Chambers**.

Congratulations go to **Ann McLaurin** who is the first sweetheart of the Gymnastic Team.

Kappa Alpha's pledge class announced its new officers. They are **Delton Guinn**, president; **Henry Hearn**, vice president; **John Vasilopoulos**, secretary, and **Mike Ramming**, parliamentarian. Congratulations!

It seems that a big weekend is in store for **Becky Graham**, **Frankie Stokes** and **Winnifred Fair** who are going to Texas A. & M. for the annual Sophomore Ball. **Paula Martin** is going a little further. It seems her interest is in Austin.

The Kappa Sigma pledges were surprised by the actives last Friday night. The surprise was a trip to the Arkansas border. Famous quote of the evening was made by pledge **Furman Barns**, "Fellows, I've got it figured out. We're 30

miles south of Shreveport."

The Zeta pledges had a more pleasant surprise, initiation. Congratulations to **Cathie Franklin**, best pledge; **Coleen Cathy**, model pledge, and **Karen Kirby**, best average, as was announced at their banquet at El Chico. Congratulations are in order for all the new wearers of the Zeta shield.

The Alpha Xi Delta pledges had a surprise breakfast for the actives Sunday morning at 5:30. Early morning awards were given to **Kay France** for the prettiest hair at that hour, **Cornelia Agurs** for looking best, **Nora Bess Stafford** for being sourest, and **Pheribee Monroe** most co-operative.

New top Chi Omega officers to be installed Monday night are: **Jane Ilgenfritz**, president; **Ann McLaurin**, vice-president; **Winnifred Fair**, secretary, and **Peggy Elliot**, treasurer.

Congratulations to **Nancy Stobaugh** on pledging Chi Omega last Tuesday night.

We're sorry to hear that the regular editor of Round Big C had a run-in with a trolley. Says **Ginny**, "All at once this great big thing loomed up in front of me and I hit it."

Thanks so much to everyone who helped make Homecoming and Mardi Gras a success. A special thanks to **Phoebe Volentine** who worked so very hard to make the lovely robes for the members of the court.

# Campusites Anticipate Fun

By MAURY AND CAROL

"I was an escort at one of the Mardi Gras balls several years ago. The procession had not yet started, and I had turned around and was talking to the boy behind me in line. The music had just started when I heard a loud crash behind me. I turned around and saw a girl lying flat on her back in front of me. Then I looked down at my feet. I was standing on her train!"

This experience happened to **Ez Fatter**, a freshman from New Orleans. He is a liberal arts major with his eye on either pre-med or pre-law.

Ez is a very active figure on the campus. He is on the Rifle Team, plays in intramurals, has a lead in the Freshmen Follies, and is a new pledge of Kappa Sigma Fraternity. With what little time he has left, Ez likes to go out—with girls.

In spite of his embarrassing experience at the last ball, Ez is eagerly looking forward to some more balls this weekend. "But I hope I can keep my feet off those trains," he says.

### Window Wonder

"The only exciting thing I ever did at Mardi Gras was to fall through a plate glass window." This comes from **Ann Morisette**, a junior from New Orleans. "I was just sitting in my father's office watching a parade when a friend of mine gave me a big push. That was the end of one plate glass window. Not long after that they barred all children from the office, during Mardi Gras."

Ann is a sociology major and spends her summers working with under privileged children in the French quarter. She also likes to sew, draw, and to do trick water skiing. Ann is a member of Chi Omega Sorority and of Kappa Pi art fraternity.

This summer Ann will get to pin on the wings of her fiance when he graduates from cadet school. Until then she keeps busy writing many letters.

## Chapel Collection

Forty-five dollars and seventy-one cents was collected as the offering during the Universal Day of Prayer for Students chapel program Thursday, February 18.

The sum was sent as Centenary's contribution to the World Students Christian Federation, with headquarters in New York City, according to **Don Guynes**, religious activities director.

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"My pet peeve, says Ann, "is college catalogues, because they won't let me take anything I want."

### Hillbilly Coonie

**Marilyn Thaxton**, sophomore, claims to be a "hillbilly coonie." In explanation, she was born in New Orleans but grew up in Tennessee.

After attending Chattanooga High School in Tennessee, Marilyn went to Baylor University for one semester. When her family moved to Shreveport, Marilyn entered Centenary and moved into James Dormitory.

Marilyn likes to dance and go to movies. She says that she really likes to sit and to sleep best of all.

However, Marilyn is making big plans to attend Mardi Gras this year when she visits her cousin in New Orleans. When asked what she would do at Mardi Gras, Marilyn replied, "Just see everything, Bourbon Street, French quarters . . ." Why is Marilyn going to Mardi Gras? She's not sure. "To have a good time—I guess," was her reply.

### Complications

"Bud" Willis is the senior personality this week. Bud's real name is **Gladden**, but "it was too complicated," according to him. His family simplified matters by calling him **Bud**. Bud is a member of Kappa Alpha fraternity and serves as secretary for the group. He is also a member of Alpha Epsilon Delta, honorary medical fraternity; Alpha Sigma Chi, honorary chemical fraternity; and Gamma Beta Gamma, honorary biology fraternity. He was also chosen by the Interfraternity Council to serve on the Student Senate.

Part of Bud's time is spent listening to records from his collection which consists mostly of concert music. After graduating from Centenary this spring after only three years, Bud plans to enter Tulane Medical school in New Orleans.

Bud has never attended Mardi Gras. When asked about it, he said with a grin, "I suspect I'll go to Mardi Gras while I'm at Tulane."



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## Willson Lectures Feature Goodrich March 15 to 17

Dr. Robert E. Goodrich, Jr., pastor of First Methodist Church of Dallas, will be the guest speaker for the seventh annual Willson Lecture Series at Centenary College this year.

The lectures are presented each year through the generosity of Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Willson of Floydada, Tex., with the spiritual and intellectual lives of Centenary students and the public, by bringing to them outstanding speakers in the field of religion or education. The Willsons sponsor similar series in twenty other colleges, universities, and civic institutions in the south and southwest.

### SCHEDULE

Dr. Goodrich's lectures, open to the public without charge, will be at 10:30 a. m. daily, Tuesday, March 15th, through Thursday, March 17th. The topics of his lectures will be "It All Adds Up," "They Cried for the Devil," and "It Takes More Than Truth." The Rev. R. Leonard Cooke, vice-president of the college, is general chairman of the arrangements committee.

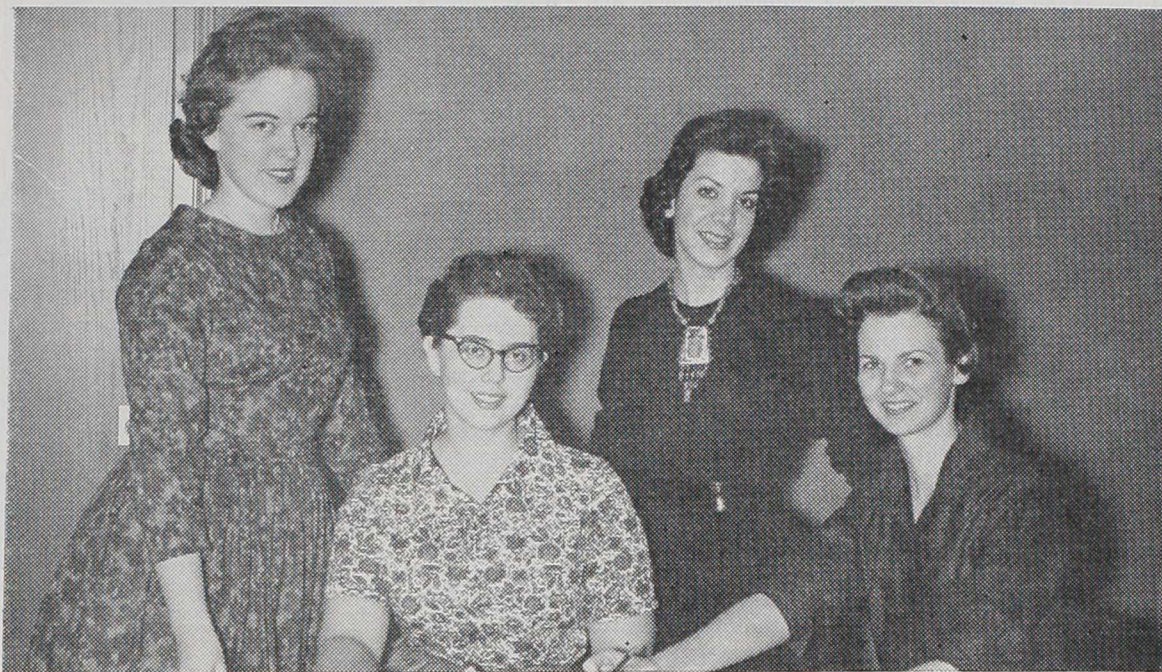
Dr. Goodrich is a native of Texas and the son of a distinguished Methodist minister who was formerly pastor of First Methodist Church of Shreveport. Dr. Goodrich attended Centenary College for two years before transferring to Birmingham-Southern University, from which he graduated with an AB degree. He received his MA degree from Southern Methodist University, and Centenary College honored him with a Doctor of Divinity degree in 1948.

### PAST EXPERIENCE

As a minister, he has served churches in Port Arthur, Houston, El Paso and, since 1946, Dallas. In addition to his work as a pastor, he has been very active in radio and television ministry.

Dr. Goodrich has been a frequent preacher on such college campuses as the University of Texas, Centenary College, Sam Houston State, Texas Western, Southwestern University, and Oklahoma A&M College.

Previous speakers on the Willson Lecture Series have been the following: 1954, Dr. Roy L. Smith, a personal friend of Dr. and Mrs. Willson; 1955, Bishop Fred Pierce Corson, of the Philadelphia area of the Methodist Church; 1956, Dr. Albert Cook Cutler of the Perkins School of Theology, SMU; 1957, Dr. W. A. Smart, Candler School of Theology, Emory University; 1958, the late Dr. Umphrey Lee, chancellor of Southern Methodist University; and 1959, Bishop Paul E. Martin, of the Arkansas-Louisiana area of the Methodist Church.



Newly elected officers of the reorganized Aufait, sorority for independent women, are, left to right, Annette Shirey, treasurer; Sarah Liberto, president; Lorene Crenshaw, vice-president; and Shirley Burnett, secretary. The officers were elected at an organizational meeting Monday, March 7.

## Webb, Melbert to Receive Honorary Degrees

Dr. Clarence H. Webb, a Shreveport physician, and the Rev. N. H. Melbert, a New Orleans clergyman, will be conferred with honorary degrees this year by the college. The two were recommended by the committee on honorary degrees, composed of faculty members and representatives of the Board of Trustees, Dr. Joe J. Mickel said. The selectees were approved by the Board of Trustees and the Centenary College faculty.

Dr. Webb will receive the honorary LLD degree, and the Rev. N. H. Melbert will receive the honorary Doctor of Divinity degree at the annual commencement ceremonies, to be held on Sunday, May 22.

Dr. Webb, a native of Shreveport, graduated from Shreveport High School, received the Bachelor of Science degree and his medical degree from Tulane University, and received his MS degree from the University of Chicago. After his education, he opened his pediatric practice in Shreveport.

The Shreveporter is a visiting lecturer to the Tulane University School of Medicine, professor of pediatrics and chief of the department at the Louisiana State University post-graduate medical school, serves as instructor to the nurses trainees at Highland Hospital from Northwestern State College. He is listed in "Who's Who among Physicians and Surgeons," "Who's Who in the South and Southwest" and "Who Knows and What." Dr. Webb won the Axson-Chopin Award in 1957 for distinguished service in the cause of public health in Louisiana.

### INVITATIONS

Orders for graduation invitations are now being taken in the book store. Due to the moving up of the date, the ordering must be hurried so all seniors are urged to see Mrs. Clark as soon as possible.

Dr. Webb is being honored by Centenary primarily because of his contributions to archeology about which he has written numerous articles.

The Rev. Mr. Melbert is a native of Gypsum City, Kansas, and

## Club Establishes Fund For Scholar

Contributions totalling \$1,093 have been deposited in a special account in a local bank for Hoyt "Dug" Duggan, Centenary's first Rhodes scholar. The Rhodes Scholar Achievement Fund will remain open for contributions until next fall when Duggan will begin his advanced study, according to Mrs. Morris B. White, treasurer of the Centenary Women's Club, which served as the official collection agency for the contributions.

Individuals, organizations, business firms, students and others wishing to contribute to the fund may do so by sending their gifts to Mrs. White, 190 Richard St., Shreveport. Checks should be made out to the Centenary Women's Club.

The fund-raising effort was inaugurated in a spontaneous movement by local citizens who felt that Duggan, who had worked his way through college, should be able to have the financial security to enable him to derive the fullest possible benefits from his years at Oxford.

## Four Professors Arrange To Attend Faculty Workshops

Dr. Leroy Vogel and three members of the faculty will attend the fourth annual Campus Community Workshop sponsored by the Danforth Foundation in Colorado Springs, Colo., June 20 to July 9.

Dr. Mary Wartens, head of the biology department; Dr. Donald Emerich, professor of chemistry, and Dr. E. Lee Ford, head of the department of modern languages will be Centenary's additional representatives.

To provide an opportunity for intensive study of ways and means of raising the level of excellence in such aspects of the campus community as curriculum, administration-faculty - student relationships, counseling, evaluation, religion and values in relation to educational objectives is the purpose of the workshop.

### PROGRAM PURPOSE

According to Dean Vogel, the basic assumption underlying the workshop program is that every member college is aware of, and has clearly defined, those problems which must be solved if the institution is to continue growing in educational leadership.

Insights given by the teachers and administrators attending from other colleges, information gleaned from seminars, use of a special library assembled for the workshop and stimulation provided by guest speakers of national prominence who will be invited to address the general sessions will provide assistance.

Dean Vogel said evaluation of past workshops discloses the fact that one of the most valuable assets of the program is the opportunity it provides for the informal exchange of ideas among representatives of colleges having similar objectives and problems. The schedule will permit time for such informal exchange as well as for a limited amount of reading.

### ATTENDING COLLEGES

Thirty liberal arts colleges throughout the United States, including 19 co-educational institutions, six women's colleges and five colleges for men have received invitations to send participants to the workshop. All of these colleges are involved primarily in undergraduate education, have a student enrollment of under 2,000 persons, are regionally accredited and are highly respected for academic achievements and continuing efforts to increase scholastic competence.

The Danforth Foundation will provide fellowships of \$200 each for the participants, and the participating colleges will provide transportation costs for their representatives. Each college has been invited to send its academic dean and three faculty members.

### SCHOLARSHIPS

All students who wish to apply for scholarships for 1960-61 may secure application blanks in Dr. Leonard Cooke's office.

Any student feeling the need for financial assistance may try to receive a scholarship.



## Letters to the Editor

### OPEN LETTER REPLY:

In general, I am in agreement with Mr. Daigle's letter. I seriously believe that it would be advantageous for the Cheer-Leader try-outs and the Spring Election speeches to be compulsory chapels, but only in lieu of the regular Thursday chapel assemblies. I believe that to make these assemblies additionally required chapels would be a usurpation of the individual rights and free will of the students. I do not think that attendance at these chapels should be made requirements for voting. Every interested and serious-minded voter should certainly familiarize himself with the candidates and issues at stake in an election, but the extent to which an otherwise qualified voter does this should be left up to the discretion of the voter and should not be made a criteria for qualification as a voter.

Concerning bloc or organizational voting, it seems to me that the primary basis upon which the candidates are elected is popularity, and hence I cannot conceive of an individual running for an office without some amount of support, either formal (as in the case of an organizational candidate) or informal (a group of mutual supporters). And since there is no one organization on the campus of sufficient size to control a majority bloc of voters in any one class, and since the organizations select their candidates primarily on the basis of mutually agreed upon support, and since the ballots are secret and the voter is allowed to make his own choice in the final analysis, I can see no great harm in organizational or bloc voting (or support of candidates).

This is in no way intended to give license to the practice of individuals dragging reluctant voters to the polls and insisting that they vote for a particular candidate. This is insulting to the integrity and rights of the voters as well as degrading to the candidate. It would seem that the appropriate and respectable procedure would be for the supporter to familiarize the voter with the qualifications of the particular candidate and then allow him to decide for himself whether or not to vote for the particular candidate.

Now I would like to make one modest proposal of my own: that the candidates be required, upon penalty of facing the honor court, to write or otherwise prepare their own campaign speeches and platforms. This, I think, would in a small way demonstrate their qualifications, other than merely that of popularity.

Written with the best of intent,

Gary R. Reave

### Dear Editor,

The letter which appeared in the last *Conglomerate* regarding the voting situation was a very accurate appraisal of it, and yet it seems that the students of Centenary are not interested enough in their school to cast their votes. In every election this year, less than one-half of the student body has voted. Many people have also complained that they have been "pulled to the polls." But if everyone was interested enough to vote of their own accord, there would be no such complaints.

I would like to suggest that Student Senate speeches and cheer-leader try-outs be held during regular Thursday chapel periods. The polls would then be open after chapel and remain open until three o'clock of the same day.

To insure that everyone votes, each person would be required to present his chapel card in order to vote . . . and he would have to vote in order to get his chapel attendance recorded.

Maury Johnston

## Praise for Freshmen

Centenary rarely sees a group of students as enthusiastic and ready to work and cooperate together for the school as this year's freshman class. While everyone else simply sat and talked about plans for the Big Name Band Dance, the freshmen conceived of a project, Freshman Follies, and worked long and hard at preparing and practicing for the event tonight and tomorrow night.

The endless hours spent in preparing the production, both by the freshmen leads, choruses, stage hands and Bobbette Oaken, who have her talents and time to direct the untrained freshmen, are certain to pay off tonight. The performance will begin at 8:00 p. m. and tickets may now be purchased from members of the freshman class for one dollar. They will not be sold at the door.

A big hand of applause to the freshmen for their initiative and work, enthusiasm and spirit. Everyone is urged to attend the Follies, not only to show appreciation to the class for their efforts, but to see what promises to be a "really good show."

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## Greeks Busy With Initiations, Election

The Greeks on campus have been actively initiating, electing officers and pledging. Alpha Xi Delta and Zeta Tau Alpha sororities have recently held their annual formals, and the Chi Omega's have set their date for April 2, KA Secession will be April 23 and the Kappa Sigma annual Black and White formal will be an event of May 7.

Newly initiated into Alpha Xi Delta and proudly sporting its symbolic quill are Louella Bain, Laverne Burkes, and Rosalind Verduzco.

### NEW OFFICERS

Chi Omega recently elected a new slate of officers to lead the followers of the Cardinal and Straw. They are as follows: Jane Ilgenfritz, president; Ann McLaurin, vice-president; Winnifred Fair, secretary; Peggy Elliot, treasurer; Brenda Bailey, pledge mother; Nancy White, chapter correspondent and Catherine Chesney, rush chairman.

New officers of Kappa Alpha are as follows: Buddy Dailey, president; Vernon Kalmbach, vice-president; Bob Moore, secretary; Jimmie Hamric, corresponding secretary; Tommy Hadley, historian; Hoot Evers, treasurer; and Tommy Brewerton, Ken Bond and Ronnie Cummings, numbers VII, VIII and IX respectively. New pledges to the fraternity are Tom Holmes, Ford King and Bobby Sorenson. Recently initiated are Philip Butcher, Carlton Chambers, Ronnie Cummings, Bob Gaynor, Norman House, Bill Trusty and Conrad Wooley.

### RECENT INITIATES

Following the early initiation of Steve Victory, Kappa Sigma initiated Dave White, Spiro Cosse, Lon McAnally, Tally Pledger, Sonny Elder, Bill Bolen, Don Farley, Don Couvillion, and Bobby Ross.

Newly elected officers of Zeta Tau Alpha are Linda Rossett, president; Sandra Boddie, vice-president; Sara Tiner, corresponding secretary; Carol Ann Soloman, recording secretary; Jane and Judy Rhodes, co-treasurers; Margetta Spears, rush captain; and Betty Jo Towery, pledge trainer.

New initiates include Cathie Franklin, Lyndra Pate, Nancy Evans, Betty Turner, Sandra Poss, Genie Gibson, Colleen Cathy, Karen Kirby, Ann Meredith, Carol Manghum, Linda Sue Brown, Dollie Miller, Gaye Griffith, Judy French, Ann Schaff, Elsa Rocquin, Gerry Rawlinson and Kay Woodruff. Best pledge was Cathie Franklin, model pledge was Colleen Cathy and Karen Kirby received the scholarship award.

### WEEKLY CALENDAR

**Friday, March 11** — Freshman Follies, Marjorie Lyons playhouse. Tickets may be purchased for one dollar from freshmen and will not be sold at the door.

**Saturday, March 12** — Freshman Follies.

**Sunday, March 13** — MSM program. Dr. Elmer Ford, speaker — 6:30 p. m.

**Monday, March 14** — Mr. Kuhns, Sears' representative, will be in the SUB for interviews with students interested in retailing as a career.

## LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



"FUNNY, BUT EVERY TIME WE HAVE A 'BULL SESSION' HERE AT WORTHAL'S THE DISCUSSION ALWAYS GETS AROUND TO GIRLS."

## LACK OF SUPPORT

The spring semester of last year ended and this fall semester began with big plans for a Big Name Band Dance on campus. Hopes were high and talk was cheap as student after student voiced his approval and satisfaction that "something was at last to be done."

The dance, which was to be a realization on campus this year, will not be held. The reasons and complications are numerous, but the most decisive factor of all is NO SUPPORT. While it was apparently easy for students to talk of raising money, planning for the dance, signing up a band and then supporting the affair, it was evidently too much trouble for everyone but the freshmen to actually do anything about it.

As originally planned, each of the four classes was to support projects to raise money for the dance. Class meetings were instigated by the Senate so that the class members could meet together and work. The Senate received no help or backing from any class other than the freshmen. Many suggested performers were discarded because of disapproval from the administration or because of student disinterest. Furthermore, with no enthusiasm shown by students to help work on the dance, how could support at the affair itself be expected? The three campus sororities give free, open to the campus dances each spring, make all the arrangements and do all the work, and then are supported sparingly by the student body.

Plans for the dance were finally discarded by the Senate, but only after all other efforts failed. These plans will be passed on to next year's Senate so that they may continue the project if they wish, BUT—a Big Name Band Dance will never be held until this year's obstacles are overcome and the student body (not just one class) cooperate to raise the needed funds and students give their support and backing to the project.

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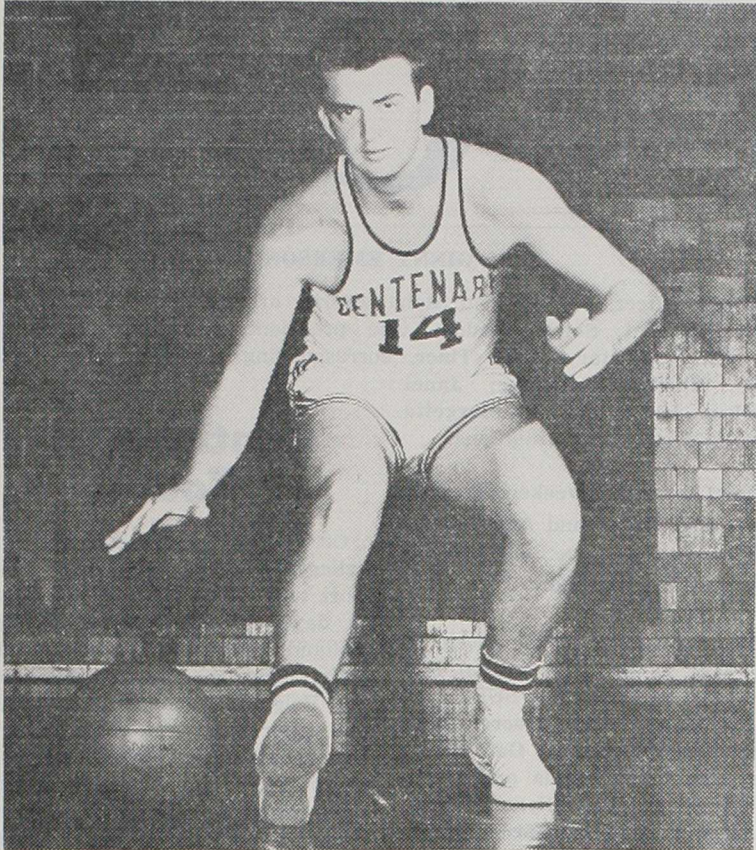
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Returning to the Gent Five next year will be Glen Cothorn, junior. Glen really sparked the final games of this season and hopes are high for his performance next year.

## Cothorn to Spark Next Year's Five

One of the brightest aspects of the past basketball season was the stellar play of Glenn Cothorn.

Glen came to Centenary from Kilgore Junior College, where he was found ineligible because he had played for Tulane. While at Tulane, Glenn averaged a terrific 25 points per game as a freshman.

Equally as impressive is Glenn's high school record. Having been born and raised in New Orleans, he played at Fortier High School. He was an All-State player for two years in 1955 and 1956. As a senior, Glenn led his team to the state AAA championship. That was the first time in 40 years that a public school had won it. Glenn set the record for high points in one game in the Crescent City with a splendid output of 44 points.

This past season Glenn was an asset to the team in many ways. He averaged 11 points per game and snared an average of 8 rebounds every night. Glen's scoring punch is divided into three shots. He can hit from outside, jump from inside, and break fast enough after stealing the ball to collect an easy lay up.

Glenn is a Kappa Sigma pledge and is active on the campus. We're all looking forward to a fine year next fall for the "Hawk."

## Pre-Med Society Initiates Pledges

Alpha Epsilon Delta, the honorary pre-medical society at Centenary, initiated six new members into the organization on Feb. 25.

Those initiated were: Jimmy Lu, Hong Kong, China; Judy Hebert, Rayne, La.; Sally McConnell, Barksdale Air Force Base; Bill Steen, Shreveport; Janos Voros, Budapest, Hungary; and Rod Yeager, Shreveport.

Alpha Epsilon Delta recognizes excellence of scholarship among students majoring in a pre-medical curriculum.

## Basketball First Won By MSM

Women's basketball ended last week with MSM victorious. They defeated Chi Omega, 41-18, in a very good game which began as a close race with MSM pulling ahead in the last half to win without much worry. The only trouble in the game was the injury of co-captain Judy Mayo in the third quarter of the game. She is suffering from some torn ligaments.

The final listing is as follows: MSM, Chi Omega, Alpha Xi Delta, Independents, and Zeta Tau Alpha. The next team sport is softball, beginning later this semester.

Badminton games are being played on Tuesday and Wednesday nights at 5:45 with a second game following. At this time these are the only games being played except for individual badminton and individual and double ping-pong.

## Gymnasts Return With 6 Trophies

After taking six gold trophies out of the hands of would-be title holders in the Mardi Gras Open Meet in Baton Rouge, the Gymnastic Team is working hard for the SLI Meet tomorrow, March 12.

All team members did an outstanding job during their first outing and are expected to be much stronger for the Festival in Lafayette. Tally Pledger, Bob Sorensen, and Don Farley walked off with the trophies while teammates Richard Haynes, Bob Elder, Hoyt Bain, Walter Low, Larry Madden, and Bill Nelson placed consistently in the top six places for valuable team points.

Other meets remaining are the Mid-South Intercollegiate Gym Meet in Natchitoches, La., Southern AAU Meet in Lafayette, and the Southwestern AAU Meet in Dallas, Texas.

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## SPORTS SPOTLIGHT

By DON TYLER

Centenary's oft-times stumbling yet sometimes marvelous Gents finished their 1959-60 campaign upholding the glorious tradition that is building with each year; the tradition established since World War II of not having a losing season on the hardwoods. It took a decision in the last game of the season, a not-so-impressive win over a hapless Springhill team, but nevertheless, the Maroon and White posted another coveted .500 per cent mark for some 24 games.

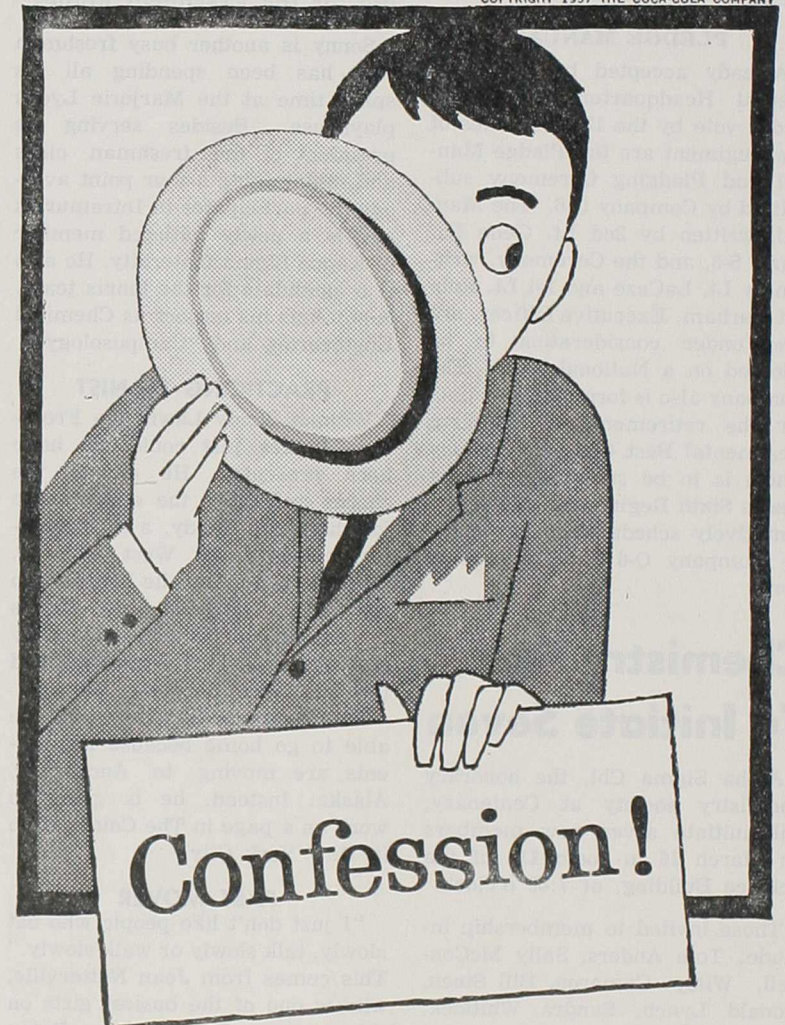
**Coach Sigler actually did a fantastic job in coaching such a team as the Gents turned into this season. He deserves a very warm handshake and a pocket full of good-luck charms to dispell all the bad luck heaped upon him this year.**

Injuries never seemed to end all year long and semester grades helped the situation even less. The two largest incidents came just recently: (1) Larry Greene, the Gent playmaker, and Dale Van Bibber, a sophomore sensation, had their ships wrecked along the grade sea of trouble. This made them ineligible to participate in sports. (2) Jackie Crawford, the Gent's answer to Jack Moreland, had to have an operation on a leg which made his services unavailable. Because of the above mentioned mishaps, Sigler had on hand what might well have been the shallowest array of talent that the school has had since World War II. During the final weeks of the campaign, boys were starting—and playing most of the game—who were not even getting into the early-season games at all. They did a fabulous job, but how much bad luck does a man (namely Sigler) have to endure?

**Sigler will now turn to next season. Let's hope the prospects are brighter. A full array of top flight competition awaits whatever team he can muster from left-overs (who do look bright), next year's sophomores (this year's freshmen), and any junior college transfers who might decide to come to Centenary.**

The winning tradition grows longer and the competition tougher, the team must be even stronger to come out with even a .500 mark. If anyone can do it, Coach Sigler can and we should give him our support.

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## PR Unit Completes Semester Schedule

The Pershing Rifles, Company O-6, under the command of Captain R. Winston Miller, are looking forward to the spring semester after completing a very successful fall semester.

During the past semester, Company O-6 participated in the Tyler (Texas) Rose Festival, the Marshall (Texas) Christmas Parade, the Natchitoches Christmas Festival and the Gent's Day Parade in Shreveport. Representatives of the company attended the Pershing Rifles National Assembly and the Sixth Regimental Assembly, both held in Baton Rouge.

### TO ATTEND MEET

During the Spring Semester, Company O-6 will attend the sixth Regimental Drill Meet to be held in New Orleans in April, The Holiday in Dixie Classic Parade in Shreveport, and the Miss Bienville Parish Parade in Arcadia. A trip to Washington, D. C., for the Cherry Blossom Festival had to be cancelled because of problems concerning transportation, but this is definitely on the Company's schedule for next year.

Other than parades, the company takes pride in its participation in administrative matters, not only on the company level but throughout the Regiment as well. Besides taking care of the company files, the staff of O-6 is playing a major role in the standardization of administrative procedures throughout the Sixth Regiment.

### PLEDGE MANUAL

Already accepted by the Regimental Headquarters and now under vote by the 13 companies of the Regiment are the Pledge Manual and Pledging Ceremony submitted by Company O-6. The Manual, written by 2nd Lt. Gene LaCaze, S-3, and the Ceremony, written by Lt. LaCaze and 1st Lt. Robert Durham, Executive Officer, are also under consideration to be adopted on a National level. The Company also is formulating a plan for the retirement of the Sixth Regimental Best Company Trophy which is to be submitted at next year's Sixth Regimental Assembly, tentatively scheduled to be hosted by Company O-6 here in Shreveport.

## Chemistry Frat To Initiate Seven

Alpha Sigma Chi, the honorary chemistry society at Centenary, will initiate seven new members on March 16 in room 114 of the Science Building, at 7:00 o'clock.

Those invited to membership include: Tom Anders, Sally McConnell, Wiley Cameron, Bill Steen, Ronald Lynch, Sandra Whitlock, and Joe Ben Hayes.

After the initiation, the society will present a program which will feature a talk by Mr. Montgomery on the "Chemistry of Glass."

The threefold purpose of Alpha Sigma Chi is to (1) broaden the individual's interest in and knowledge of chemistry; (2) to create interest in the field of chemistry; and (3) to provide recognition of scholastic achievement in chemistry.



Taking a break during rehearsals for Freshman Follies are four members of the cast and four freshmen personalities. Jean Netterville, Sonny Elder, Lorene Crenshaw and Sandy Lawn (at the piano) are just four of the freshmen who have been working on the Follies to be presented tonight and tomorrow night by members of their class.

## Frolicking Frosh

By MAURY JOHNSTON

"The best way to make a permanent enemy out of your dancing partner is to throw her up in the air and then forget to catch her," says Sonny Elder. He sadly admits that he did do this to his partner Jean Netterville, when they were rehearsing for the Freshman Follies.

Sonny is another busy freshman who has been spending all his spare time at the Marjorie Lyons playhouse. Besides serving as president of the freshman class and maintaining a four point average, he participates in Intramurals and is a newly initiated member of Kappa Sigma fraternity. He also is a candidate for the tennis team. Sonny lists his majors as Chemical Engineering and "Campusology."

### PRACTICING PIANIST

Without Sandy Lawn, the Freshmen Follies just could not have been presented. He directs the chorus and plays the entire score for the show. Sandy, a music major, comes from West Monroe. When he graduates, he hopes to go into TV work. Presently he is putting his talents to good use by playing at the Petroleum Club and the Westbrook School of Dance.

This summer Sandy won't be able to go home because his parents are moving to Anchorage, Alaska. Instead, he is going to work as a page in The Colony Club in New York City.

### FAST MOVER

"I just don't like people who eat slowly, talk slowly or walk slowly." This comes from Jean Netterville, who is one of the busiest girls on this campus. Jean is from Baton Rouge and is a religious education major. She is active in MSM, Kappa Chi, Intramurals and serves on the James Dormitory Council as freshman representative. She also happens to walk from one to four every day.

"I like to sleep in my spare time—whenever that is," remarks Jean. Lately Jean has been cutting out on the sleep and spending her spare time as a dancer in the Freshman Follies.

### "ANNIE"

Lorene "Annie" Crenshaw is one of our outstanding freshman students. Annie is attached to Lorene's name because she has the lead role in "Annie Get Your Gun" in the Freshman Follies.

Lorene is very excited about her part in "Annie." It seems she has wanted to play this part since the sixth grade. Lorene says "I believe our class will be one of the closest classes because everyone is taking part in the musical. The kids all enjoy being together and all of them have helped. The boys turned out to be fine dancers and everyone has done everything."

Beaumont, Texas is Lorene's home town. There she attended Beaumont High School and took an active part in church, school, and civic affairs. Her previous stage experience includes roles in "Agamemnon" and "South Pacific." Lorene was also a member of the well known Melody Maids.

While at Centenary, Lorene has been active in MSM and the pep squad. But acting is her "first love." She was also chosen by Broadmoor Studio as a Centenary Girl. Social Science is Lorene's major. She is also seriously considering getting a degree in Religious Education from Perkins.

Lorene says "I have more nerve than talent, I suppose, as I will attempt most any type of job in the theater." But Lorene has already disproved this in the eyes of Centenary students.

**Editor's note:** All the students appearing in the column this week are members of the cast of the Freshman Follies. It was decided to abandon the usual format this week and feature the freshmen who have worked long and hard to make their Follies a success.

# ROUND BIG C CENTENARY

By GINNY EMERSON

New officers of Zeta Tau Alpha sorority are as follows: **Linda Rossett**, president; **Sandra Boddie**, vice-president; **Carol Ann Solomon**, recording secretary; **Sara Tiner**, corresponding secretary; **Jane and Judy Rhodes**, treasurer; **Janet Gholson**, historian; and **Margetta Spears**, P. C. Congratulations.

## Continental Tour

News has it that weekend dropouts are **Fuller Bazer** and **Ann Schaaf**. Ann is now proudly wearing the letters of Kappa Sigma.

Seen "rocking" to the music of the Dots at the ZTA formal last Saturday night in the SUB were **Patty Owen**, **Gary Moore**, **Bess Smith**, **Hoyt Tompkins**, **Gail Stimpers**, **Ken Bond**, **Lynda** and **David Jones**, **Lynn Knotts**, **Glenn Cothorn**, **Janet McClellan** and **Barry Bolack**.

The Southern gentlemen of Kappa Alpha order have recently elected new officers. They are as follows: **Buddy Dailey**, number one; **Vernon Kalmbach**, number two; and **Bob Moore**, number three.

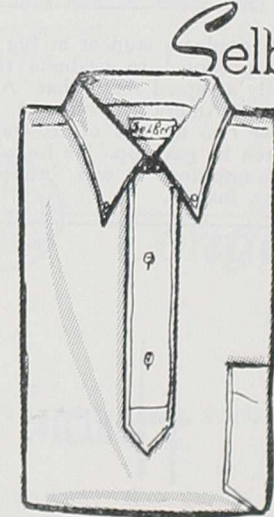
Recently pinned are **Tim Temple** and **Diane Caldwell**. Congratulations!

The gym team is traveling to Lafayette for competition at Southern Louisiana Institute for the Inter-Collegiate meet. Good luck to all the team members!

The weekend of the Gent Team holiday saw several returning past students on campus. **Lorita Donaho** and **Pat Burns** were on campus for a wedding shower for Lorita, who will soon be Mrs. W. P. Tipton. **Billy Pat Tipton** and **Buddy Graham** were on hand for the weekend and were just in time to hear news of Pat Burns' engagement.

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## Campus to Host Region Science Fair

Centenary's Sixth Regional Science Fair will be staged this weekend in the Haynes Memorial Gymnasium, with the help of the Junior Academy of Science and the Science Education Council. High school, junior high, and elementary students from Webster, Bossier and Caddo parishes will set up their projects in the gymnasium from 1:00-7:00 p. m. Friday. The Science Fair is open to the public all day Saturday.

While the projects are being judged on Friday evening under the supervision of Dr. Don Emerick, the participants will hold a sock hop in the basement of the gymnasium where they will be in easy call in case the judges wish an interview. The Science teachers who are sponsoring their students are to have a meeting in Room 114 of the Science Building at 7:30 p. m., where they will hear Mr. Michael Beckman speak on the archeological findings at Poverty Point.

### Paper Division

Saturday morning the paper division of the Science Fair is to be held in Room 114 of the Science Building. A student may enter either a paper or a project in the Centenary Fair, in the areas of biology, physics, electronics, chemistry, earth sciences or social science.

A convocation will be held at 4:00 p. m. Saturday afternoon in the gymnasium at which time announcements will be made of winners in both the paper and project division.

### Active Planning

All of the Centenary faculty in the science division and a large number of Centenary students are taking an active part in the planning, supervision, and judging of projects or papers. Dr. O. P. Wilkins acts as Centenary's coordinator for the entire fair.

Some of the students who will be helping with the project and paper division Friday and Saturday are: Buddy Daily, Jim Darby, Jim Valentine, Jimmy Lu, Ralph Ferrari, Sallie Clingman, Sara Tiner, Jay Lang, Sara Hitchcock, Janet Havelka, Jane Hanks, Alvaro Hernandez, Nancy Karens, Napoleio Lawrence, E. O. Blackburn, Dave White, Bill Steen, Cathy Franklin, Cranston, Jones, Miles, Lewis, Bradford, Smith, and Arnold.

### MSM FILM

A film, "The Prisoner," with Alec Guinness and Jack Hawkins, will be shown at the Methodist Student Movement meeting Sunday, March 20.

The meeting will be held and the film shown in Room 114 of the Science Building. Because of the length of the film, it will begin at 4:45 p. m. Sandwiches will be served.

## Board Announces 3 Scholarships

Undergraduate students and recent college graduates are notified of three scholarships for graduate study in librarianship, as announced by the board of trustees of the Enoch Pratt Free Library of Baltimore, Maryland.

Miss Essae M. Culver, Louisiana State Librarian, reports that two awards of \$1,500 each will be made from the Enoch Pratt Free Library's gift funds, while the third stipend of \$1,500 is a memorial scholarship given by the Enoch Pratt Library Staff Association in honor of the library's late director, Arthur H. Parsons, Jr.

"We are looking for intelligent young men and women who have a broad book background, sense of service and sympathetic understanding of people," the scholarship communication stated.

Recipients of the 1960 - 1961 awards must agree to accept employment with the Enoch Pratt Free Library in Baltimore for two years following graduation.

Deadline for applications is May 1, 1960, and inquiries may be made to the Personnel Office, Enoch Pratt Free Library, Baltimore 1, Maryland.

## Help Available For Librarians

A librarian scholarship which carries a stipend of \$750 will be awarded for a year's study for the Master's degree in library science, or its equivalent, in an accredited library school. The scholarship is for the 1960-61 academic year and will be awarded to a person from the Southwest region including Arizona, Arkansas, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Texas, or Louisiana.

Applicants must be provisionally admitted to the library school of their choice in advance of their application for the scholarship.

All applications must be received on or before April 1, 1960, the Southwestern Library Association has announced. Complete information may be obtained by writing Marvin A. Miller, Chairman, SWLA Scholarship Committee, University of Arkansas Library, Fayetteville, Ark.

Miss Essae M. Culver, State Librarian, urges Louisiana college students who now hold, or will acquire degrees by the end of the summer, 1960 school session to consider application.



Joseph M. Running, director of the school of music, is currently planning for a concert tour of four appearances in the next few weeks. The tour will take him to Appleton, Wis.; San Augustine, Tex.; Austin, Tex.; and Washington, D. C.

## Running to Present Series of Recitals

Four recitals will be presented within the next few weeks in the course of a spring tour by Joseph M. Running, director of the school of music and campus piano professor.

The opening recital of the tour will be presented at 8:15 p. m. Monday, March 21, at Lawrence College in Appleton, Wis. The recital will be presented in Harper Hall, the new \$1,400,000 music and drama center at the college, which is listed as one of the top ten privately-supported liberal arts coeducational colleges in the country. Lawrence chapter of Phi Mu Alpha, honorary men's music fraternity, is sponsoring Running's appearance. Running's appearance, along with numerous other events are being presented in observance of Lawrence's Music-Drama Festival Year.

### San Augustine

Running will play a benefit recital on Tuesday, March 29 at 8:00 p. m. in the auditorium of the First Methodist Church in San Augustine, Tex., under sponsorship of the San Augustine chapter of the American Cancer Society.

Friday, April 1, is the date for Running's performance in the Music Hall of the University of Texas, Austin, Tex., under sponsorship of the university's school of fine arts. Dr. Paul Pisk, eminent musicologist and composer and member of the faculty, will prepare the program notes for Running's recital.

The final appearance of his tour will be a performance as guest artist on the famed A. W. Mellon series at the National Gallery of Art in Washington, D. C., on April 17. The Mellon series is restricted to artists of national reputation.

### Program

At each of the recitals, Running will present a program including J. S. Bach's "Toccata in F-sharp minor"; W. A. Mozart's "Sonata in B-flat Major, K. 281"; Cesar Franck's "Prelude, Chorale and Fugue"; "Alma Brasileira" and "Danza do Indio Branco," by Vol-la-Lobos, and three piano pieces by Johannes Brahms: "Intermezzo in E-flat minor, Opus 118, No. 6," "Intermezzo in B-flat Major, Opus 76, No. 4" and "Capriccio in B Minor, Opus 76, No. 2."

### Previous Recital

Running presented the same program on March 8, when he opened the second annual faculty recital series on campus. A member of the faculty for two years, Running has been presented in recitals in New York, Philadelphia, Bowling Green, Palo Alto, Sarasota, Bradenton, and many other cities in the United States as well as in a number of cities in Japan.

## Pembroke College Accepts H. Duggan

Hoyt N. Duggan, 1960 recipient of a Rhodes scholarship, has received word of his acceptance by Pembroke College of Oxford University. During his two years at Pembroke, Duggan will continue his studies in English language and literature, and he will graduate with the B. A. Honor School degree in 1962. Duggan feels his classes in literary criticism, with Dr. Willingham, and the 18th century, with Dr. Morgan, will be of particular value to him in the course of his studies.

Pembroke College was founded in 1624 and houses two famous libraries: the Chandler Library of Philosophy, which contains many Aristotelian works; and the Birbeck-Hill Johnsoniana Library.

## Construction Plans For Baptist Center

Preliminary plans for the new \$100,000 Baptist Student Center adjacent to the college have been adopted by the District Six Baptist Convention. It was recommended that the District Six executive board be authorized to proceed with plans and construction as funds are made available.

Dr. Stanley Jordan, president of the District Six Executive Board, made the recommendation to the convention that will launch the plans for the student center at the Eighth Annual Session of the Convention. Baptist students in the area, as well as students on the campus itself, will have use of the center.

The Rev. Charles S. McIlveene, president of the District Six convention, composed of 74 Baptist churches in Bossier and Caddo parishes, said that delegates or messengers to the convention gave enthusiastic responses to the proposed center.

## Interfaith Program To Be On Campus

Four campus religious organizations will be the joint sponsors of an Interfaith Institute to be held here Saturday, March 26.

Reverend Paul Blanton, Wesley Foundation director at Southern Methodist University, will be the main speaker at the institute, the theme of which is "One, One Gospel, One World."

The Baptist Student Union, Canterbury Club, Methodist Student Movement, and Westminster Fellowship are sponsoring the institute for the student body and the faculty. It will begin at 9:30 a. m. and close with a social hour that evening.

The lectures will be held in the Science Building Auditorium, the worship services in the chapel, and the social hour in the Student Union Building.



## Jay's Colum

By now you have undoubtedly noticed my box in the SUB. This is similar to a suggestion box only in physical appearance. It is to be used for anything **you** wish to say where others can hear you. This function of this column is to print suppressed news and to express opinions. In the future, I intend to ask specific individuals, both students and faculty, for opinions also.

Why are there never any riots at Centenary? Why are they very seldom heard of in **any** American college or university. I am not referring to clothing confiscation episodes. We often hear of riots (or disorderly discussions, if you prefer) on foreign campuses. These people are telling others, albeit vividly, of their desires and their dislikes.

The riots I am discussing are possibly concerned with international, national, and local politics, social reform, curriculum changes, and administrative oppression.

I can think of only four reasons why American students do not riot: (1) There is no need for this type of expression because nothing needs correction. (2) The student does not realize that correction is necessary. (3) The student is misinformed. (4) The student realizes that correction is necessary but is too complacent and lazy to do anything about it. What category do we fit into? Obviously and unfortunately, number four.

Next week I would like to discuss capital punishment. Everyone is asked and invited to express their opinion. Put it in my box in the SUB and it need be signed only if you wish. However, publishing schedules dictate that it must be in by Monday noon in order to be discussed the following Friday.

The pick hit of the week is "Everything's Up-to-Date at Centenary," from the score of OKLAHOMA!

TV celebrity of the week: sobbing, snobbing Jack Paar.

Jay

## HELP!

Student response to the **Conglomerate** has been excellent this year, but **some** of the faculty have failed to cooperate. Appeals have been made publically and a number of personal requests have been made to individuals. There is no great task involved in making a simple notation of fact and dropping it in the campus mail to inform the editor of any departmental news or any affairs of faculty sponsored organizations.

The editor and one able-bodied assistant are not able to go personally to each department and collect the warranted publicity for that section of the campus news.

I certainly don't wish to attack the faculty unfairly, but I **again** urge that members of the faculty and club sponsors see that the news comes in. There is no need to write the stories, simply send a note of what is happening, or, in the case of student reporters selected from each group, check to see that **they** are doing their job.

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Editorials and letters to the editor are expressions of student opinion, except in the specific cases of signed letters from the faculty or administration. Any remarks in the form of praise, constructive criticism or warranted "gripes" are encouraged both by the **Conglomerate** and by the administration.

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## Everything's out of Date . . .

I got to Centenary on a Wednesday  
By Saturday I learned a thing or two  
Before then you couldn't have convinced me  
Of what this Christian world is coming to.  
I dropped by the CUB for a wee cocktail  
And wore my peddle-pushers to a meal  
And then a box in my room began to buzz  
And Dean Lineburger started in to squeal.

Everythin's out of date at Centenary  
They've gone about as far as they can go  
With Physicals and Chapels,  
Every week, you can be sure  
Centenary Ladies all are absolutely pure,  
At least they're 99.44 absolutely pure.  
They've gone about as far as they can go,  
They've gone about as far as they can go.

Dr. Mickel's our Big Brother  
And the dean's a splendid chap,  
They never pull a slip-up  
But the house mother takes the rap,  
Any student who speaks out  
Is promptly told to shut his trap:  
They've pushed it about as far as it can go,  
They've pushed it about as far as it can go.

Everything's out of date at Centenary  
They've gone about as far as they can go.  
We sterilize the Freshmen,  
Half the school's on social pro,  
We pacify the Methodists  
And then we take their dough;  
God has to get the Dean's O.K.  
Before He lets it snow.  
They've gone about as far as they can go,  
They've gone about as far as they can go.

## Freshman Follies Reopen Playhouse With Fine Show

It took the Freshman class to open the Marjorie Lyons Playhouse again, but they certainly credited the stage with as fine an amateur performance as has been produced there with their Freshman Follies production of "Oklahoma" and "Annie Get Your Gun." Their presentation can only be judged on a strictly amateur basis, but as such, it was practically professional.

### Hope, Gould Spark

The fine array of talented leads to build around contributed to the success of the performance. In "Oklahoma" Barry Hope and Betsy Gould sparked the cast. Nancy Evans was saucy in her role as Ado Annie and flirted musically with the beautiful baritone of Ryan Horton. Highlights of the show were Butchie McQuiston's rendition of "Out of Your Dreams" and Rick Bigg's "woman's gallery" and "fine" voice. Hours spent in rehearsals by the vocal and dance choruses really paid off in their creditable backing of the stars. The singing of Danny Calhoun and Kay Tipton's dancing were especially noticed.

### Ez and Annie

Bobby "Old Man" Ross opened "Annie Get Your Gun" with his vocalizations. Lorine Crenshaw was Annie and truly put on a fine performance. Ez Fatter, in the very masculine lead of Frank Butler, almost proved too much for the girls in the audience when they found he could **sing** too! Pert Kay Tipton and Al "Sitting Bull" Pius added fine points to the show, as did the singing of Jerry La Bruyere.

Patsy West is to be commended for her typical "show must go on" attitude by filling in in the dance chorus at the last minute due to the sickness of the regular and practised member of the chorus.

### Superb Accompaniment

Throughout the whole of the evening's entertainment Sandy Lawn provided the musical accompaniment to the show. His playing was exceptional and he offered what was perhaps the most brilliant performance of the entire evening.

Bobbette Oaken deserves praise and commendations for her direction of the casts and the choreography for the dancers. The casting for the production was almost flawless. The campus might do well to have her in charge of the playhouse, with her stars provided by the freshman class—if the Follies is to be taken as any indication of their ability.

The single criticism for the shows was that they simply didn't last long enough and **that** is credit for any show!

P. S.

Solomon's 999th Wife: "Sol, are you really in love with me?"  
Solomon: "My dear, you are one in a thousand."

## LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



## Student Conduct

As a result of the talk on campus, it should be stated that student conduct this year has been judged solely by the general college regulations clearly and concisely set forth in the student handbook, **Gentlemanly Speaking**.

The standard of judgment of students at Centenary is that they conduct themselves as ladies and gentlemen. No recent changes in college rules and regulations have been made nor are changes currently contemplated. Changes, when made, come only after thorough discussion and study in which properly constituted student representatives have a voice.

JOE J. MICKLE, President

## Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor,

During the past several weeks we, two very confused students, have viewed with alarm the shocking state of affairs on Centenary campus. We have heard rumors, observed actions being taken, and watched a rapidly growing sense of panic in the student body. Before we form any definite conclusions, we would like to know if our view of the situation is correct.

- (1) Is it true that the Student Senate is a comparatively voiceless and ineffective group?
- (2) Is it true that the Student Affairs Committee has met only once this year and considered only one very minor aspect of student life?
- (3) Is it true that some student members of the Student-Faculty Committees were never notified of their appointments until they read the list of names released to the **Conglomerate** late in the year? (Could this imply that the committees are non-functioning groups appointed only to pacify a few student groups that are interested in self-government?)
- (4) Is it true that dormitory council are being closely watched?
- (5) Is it true that many Centenary students are anxiously anticipating their departure from the school despite the many academic opportunities available here?

These are just a few of the questions that are occurring to us. We wonder if it is evidence of rapidly disappearing student government and of strong distrust in the maturity of eighteen through twenty-two year old students.

TWO PUZZLED STUDENTS.



The Centenary College

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Steven Victory is practicing for the coming baseball season. The team is bound to have some prospects for the game schedule — anyone aware of these is urged to get the story in to the CONGLOMERATE office.

## "The Horse's Mouth"

By KATHY MACK

Joyce Cary's "The Horse's Mouth" is a delightfully funny book which combines artfully the Horatian principles of instruction and amusement. In an age of beatniks, this story of Gulley Jimson, a sixty-eight-year-old-beat artist, is apropos. The action moves from comedy to tragicomedy to tragedy, leading the reader through as many pranks as those of Richard Strauss's Till Eulenspiegel.

Andrew Wright describes the books as an epic, "a creation about creation." Indeed it is. The title itself suggests the magnitude of the artist's position in the world; he obtains his truth straight from the horse's mouth. He is a creator, who must continue to create regardless of the incomprehension and hostility he meets. As Gulley says to his friend Nosy, "The old horse doesn't speak only horse . . . and I can't speak only Greenbank."

### Artistic World

The world of the artist, although it is creative, is also unjust; this injustice is another theme. The world's injustice to the artist is shown mainly by the lack of communication between Gulley and his friends; Gulley's lack of paint, brush, and canvas; and people's general hostility to Gulley. Gulley neither forsakes creating by painting nor resigns himself to injustice. He strives continually, never succumbing to surrounding enmity; and his secret is voiced to a nun at the conclusion of the novel:

"How don't you enjoy life, mother. I should laugh all round my neck at this minute if my shirt wasn't a bit on the tight side."

"It would be better for you to pray."

"Same thing, mother."

Gulley is a combination of con-man and artist. As con-man, he pans his work off to buy paints. As artist, he realizes his relationship

to the world is equal to that of the prophet of God. He is a mixture of outrageous man, carefree man, tender man, and dedicated man. The injustice of the world particularly outrages him when he sees the position in which wealth places the Beeders, who are pseudo-patrons of the artists.

His carefree philosophy shields him against the injustice that surrounds him, pinpointed in a delightful episode in which he takes over the Beeders' vacated house and completely pawns its furnishings down to the last piece of linoleum; this, in an attempt to secure money for paints to decorate the walls of the Beeders' house. His tenderness is acutely portrayed in his attitudes toward Cokey, the physically repulsive barmaid, and toward Sara Monday, his ex-wife. A love scene reaches high tragicomedy when Sara talks to Gulley about old times and her present loneliness in the midst of the platitudes of a preacher holding a revival.

### Dedication

Gulley's dedication to his work is seen throughout the book as he strives for the perfect wall on which to paint, reaching a poignant climax when he succeeds in finding the perfect wall and accomplishing his best work only to fall from the scaffold as the wall is torn down by wreckers.

Poignant, comic, ridiculously realistic, "The Horse's Mouth" is paradoxically a disarming yet disconcerting novel.

## Linksmen Travel To Tourney Meet

The Centenary golf team has opened its season and is participating in its first competition today. This is the second day of the McNeese Intercollegiate Tournament in Lake Charles, an annual 54-hole event. The team, coached by Morton Braswell, played two 18-hole rounds last weekend at Barksdale and Palmetto Country Club as a warmup for this week's tournament.

Those participating at Lake Charles include Jimmy Hughes, the only letterman back from last year, and John Williams, Pete Boggs, Charles Yarbrough, and Jim Daigle. This year's schedule, which has not yet been announced, will include about ten matches with such schools as Northeastern, Northwestern, and Louisiana Tech.

## Ole Miss To Offer Summer Program

The University of Mississippi will sponsor its third annual program of summer study in Austria this year. In cooperation with the University of Vienna, a six-week course will be offered at Strobl, Austria, near the famous music festival city of Salzburg, beginning July 17 and continuing through Aug. 27.

Students may earn six hours of credit and will have a choice of history, art and music courses taught in English, as well as courses in the study of the German language from the elementary to advanced levels. Complete cost of the summer session is \$220.

In addition to the formal study, Ole Miss will sponsor a seven-week study tour of Europe, headed by Dr. Gertrude Lippert, Fulbright Scholar and professor of German at Mississippi College, Clinton. Eight European countries will be visited with a tour highlight being attendance at the Passion Play at Oberammergau, Germany.

The tour is open to students and non-students, and it may be combined with the summer school course or be taken separately. All expense cost is \$897. The group will depart June 6 on the S. S. Ryndam of the Holland-American Line.

More detailed information about the study tour and summer school in Austria may be obtained by writing to the Department of Modern Languages, University of Mississippi, University, Miss.

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# RAPE OF THE LOCK

By HOYT DUGGAN

Pope's *Rape of the Lock* is an excellent example of the satiric tradition in English neo-classicism. In this mock-epic Pope has shown his interest in social satire, in playfully treating the epic manner, and in deflating the vapid clichés that filled the love poetry of his day. But more important, he has with pathos, with delicacy, and with a sometimes bawdy, but always subtle, wit presented something of the intricacies of the feminine mind.

To say that Pope is merely laughing indulgently at a tempest in a teacup is, I think, to underestimate the depths of the poem. Of course, it would be as great a mistake to read more into the poem than Pope wrote into it, but it is obvious that Pope is too far-sighted to allow that Belinda is merely the innocent victim of a rude assault. For what is the value of the lock? Obviously the heroine wishes the young beau to desire the lock. She does not wish to maintain forever her possession of the lock, but it is unfair of the Baron to take the lock by force. In the battle between sexes, (which is ably carried on in the game of Ombre), the beau must coax her into giving him the lock. If she is weak, she will yield the lock without a stipulation of terms and be a ruined maiden indeed. Thus Pope has constructed a delicate satire of the elaborate and courtly conventions under which the maiden must find her mate.

Indeed Pope suggests that perhaps it is not the Baron, but Belinda, who is the aggressor. There is a question as to whether he has captured the lock or been captivated by the lock.

Pope suggests this skillfully in these lines:

Love in these Labyrinths his Slaves detains,  
And mighty hearts are held in slender chains.  
With hairy Sprindges we the Birds betray,  
Slight Lines of Hair surprise the finny Prey,  
Fair Tresses Man's Imperial Race insnare,  
And Beauty draws us with a single hair.

Throughout the poem, the sexual imagery is evident. Lines like "And Maids turned bottles, call aloud for corks" indicate that the poem has a second important level of meaning which would not have surprised Freud. In *double entendres* the sexual motif is carried on. The *double entendre* is evident in lines like:

Gods! shall the ravisher display your hair,  
While the Fops envy, and the Ladies stare!

or

Oh hadst thou, Cruel! been content to sieze  
Hairs less in sight, or any hairs but these!

or

Nor fear the Chief in unequal Fight to try  
Who sought no more than on his foe to die . . .  
"Boast not my fall" (he cry'd) "Insulting foe!  
Thou by some other shalt be laid as low."

Thus Pope has been able to reduce the "rape" to its true insignificance because he recognizes (as the Baron and Belinda do not) its real significance. Pope realizes and satirizes the artificiality of the social conventions surrounding courtship and yet he is thoroughly aware of the biological and economic motives which underlie them. He is not forced to regard them as either a poetic adornment to life or as a hypocritical mask. From his aesthetic distance he can view and present this "outrage" of convention with amused tolerance and can set it in its proper perspective.

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Toasting the leprechaun on his official day were "The Four Mc's!" Pegram McCreary, Tannie McDade, Lon McAnally and Butchie McCuiston paid tribute to St. Patrick's Day by donning the green. The background and leprechaun are from Kidd Russ Luggage Company in the Uptown Shopping Center.

### Personalities

## "Irish Eyes Are Smiling"

"In our high school play, my big scene was to occur when I walked on stage and handed the heroine a bag of money and a hat. As I rushed to the stage, I noticed with horror that I had forgotten both of them." This is just one incident in the dramatic life of Sandra "Butchie" McCuiston, freshman from El Dorado, Arkansas.

Butchie's reputation as an actress has been established on campus ever since she did her famous ping pong scene from "Auntie Mame" at Kangaroo Court. When she is not acting, Butchie finds time to sing in the Centenary Choir, sing in her church choir, sing in a trio, and maintain a 3.9 average. (She made a "B" in gym.) She is also a newly initiated member of Chi Omega sorority. Butchie serves her Chi Omega as a representative to the Panhellenic Council, and received the award for high grade average in her pledge class.

Although Butchie is a great asset to the choir, she often causes consternation during concerts. During mid-semester tour, she was running behind schedule and did not bother to put her gloves on until she was already on stage. Only then did she discover that she had two left handed gloves, and that was the reason why she sang with one hand behind her during that concert.

### IRISH LASSIE

Tanne McDade is a well-known Irish lassie on Centenary's Campus. From the day of her arrival to our fair campus eight years ago, Tanne has made a big hit with her rendition of "Red Hot Mamma." Before attending Centenary, she studied voice at Keachie University.

Tanne's home is a few miles north of Dublin, Ireland, in the small city of Belcher. Since leaving the old country ten years ago, Tanne has become quite Americanized. Some of her favorite pastimes are: attending the cinema,

playing Ombre, and riding in a Rolls Royce. Tanne's favorite food is sunflower seed. Tanne always observes St. Patrick's Day by kissing the Blarney stone and eating Irish stew.

In May we will lose Tanne as she will graduate with a B.S. degree in agriculture. We understand that Miss McDade will graduate *summa cum running*.

### LEFT EYE SPECIALIST

Pegram McCreary, also known as Mac, is one of our Irish personalities for this week. Mac is a junior majoring in pre-medicine. He plans to specialize in the left eye and let his father have the right eyed patients.

The first two years of Mac's college days were spent at Tulane where he was athletic trainer. He decided to come to Centenary because it was a good small pre-med school. After graduating from Centenary Mac wants to go to Tulane Medical School.

Mac likes to water ski and hates 7:50 a. m. classes. He likes all types music and has over a hundred records scattered here and there. Traveling is exciting to Mac, and he thinks Uncle Sam will send him to Europe some day. He likes good clothes. He likes to play pool, ping-pong, and bridge especially in the date room at James dorm. Fishing and hunting quail are enjoyed by Mac. He loves to bowl and has a 158 average and a high score of 233.

Mac thinks all good Irish should get a holiday on St. Patrick's Day. When asked how he celebrated this

day Mac replied, "I put a little green on here and there and go to class." The green isn't because he's loyal, it's just because he doesn't want to get pinched.

### TROUBLE-FINDER

Lon-Wyatt McAnally, Jr., is a sophomore pre-med student from Houston, Texas. He is a very fitting choice for this week's column because the Lon-Wyatt part of his name is Scotch and the McAnally is Irish.

Lon lists his favorite activities as water skiing, bowling, Kappa Sigma Fraternity, and oil painting. "Once I was a member of a painting group. We had been working on a still life and mine was just not coming out the way I wanted it to. The next morning I went to the studio very early before anyone else and got out my painting to work on it. For some reason it looked all wrong to me and I decided to paint over it. After I had worked for about two hours improving it, I noticed, to my horror, that it was another man's painting." This experience shook Lon up so much that it was a long time before he attempted a still life again.

In the summers Lon works with an oil company. "I'm forever getting into trouble on the job," he says. Once I dropped a monkey wrench down the well. Another time I was driving a truck across the desert in Utah, and I hit the only other truck within fifty miles of me." This summer Lon is going to try and stay out of trouble by going to summer school at Colorado University.

## 'ROUND BIG C CENTENARY

By GINNY EMERSON

Going different path ways this past weekend were **Ralph Mason, John Vasilopolous, Mike Ramming and Ford King.**

Congratulations to **Lieutenant and Mrs. Carey Davis**, who were wed last Saturday. She is the former Melba Smith.

Congratulations to **Linda Sue Brown and Hoot Evers** on their recent pinning.

The Gym team will journey to Natchitoches this weekend.

The Social Committee of Kappa Alpha is busily planning a better than ever Old South Ball. Industiously preparing for the event are **Jimmie Hamric, Ralph Akin and Larry Madden.**

Frosh Follies was a tremendous success. **Jackie Rosett, Betsy Gould, E. Fatter, Lorine Crenshaw, Nancy Evans, and Patsi West** were some of the "muchly" applauded actresses and actors. It was truly enjoyed by all.

Eating fresh pineapple and doughnuts and drinking coffee were the various treats enjoyed by some of those who frequented the Kappa Sigma House Saturday night. **Ann Gibbs, Dave White, Connie Johnson, David Graham, Margaret Reeves and George Le-Ray** were a few of those seen enjoying the treats and stereo.

**Yogi**, just what is this "5 Club"—I'm curious!

**Sammie Kay Smith's** new hair-do has certainly caused a lot of comment.

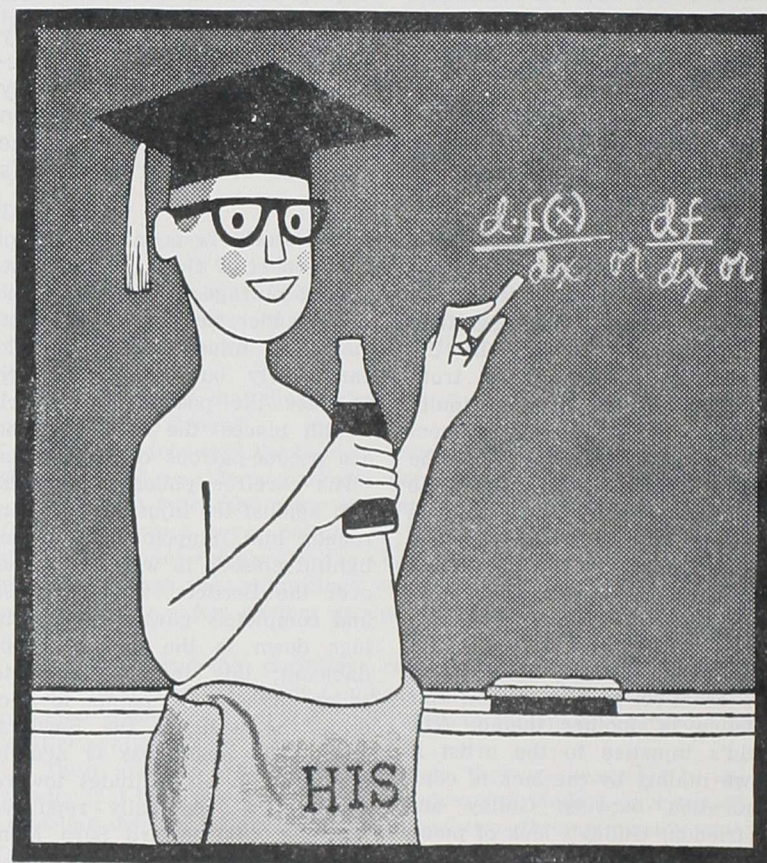
Congratulations to **Terrell Rourk**—being dropped—bet he'll be headed to Lafayette soon.

Congratulations to the new initiates of Chi Omega. They are: **Butchie McQuiston, Joy Camerer, Grace Jackson, Mary Ellen Gaughan, Louise Gaughan, Becky Graham, Charlotte Stodghill, Linda Kay Ellington, Gail Yarborough, Nancy White Rodzikowski, Marsha Townsend, and Maury Johnston.** Butchie won the scholarship award and Maury was best pledge.

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## Senate Announces Plans For Election

The Student Senate has announced the election of officers plan for this year. The facts and instructions are extremely important and all prospective candidates should carefully note them.

Petitions must be in the office of the dean of students by 2:00 p. m., April 4. The **Conglomerate** publishes candidate platforms, grades, qualifications and pictures. The candidates are responsible for having these in the **Conglomerate** office and, if they fail to do so, their publicity will not be in the paper. Grade averages must be checked through the registrar's office and her signature must accompany the paper's copy; the list of qualifications is to include all past activities and group memberships and honors; platforms are to be typewritten, approximately 250-300 words or around one page, (there may be a slight variation here); and pictures must be glossy print portrait types. All this information **MUST** be in the **Conglomerate** office by Monday afternoon, April 4, if it is to go in the paper. Any questions or problems encountered in fulfilling these obligations should be directed to Editor Patsy Stamps as soon as possible.

Candidates will make their speeches before the student body in a chapel on April 19. There will be no nominating speeches this year. The election will be April 20 with runoffs on April 22.

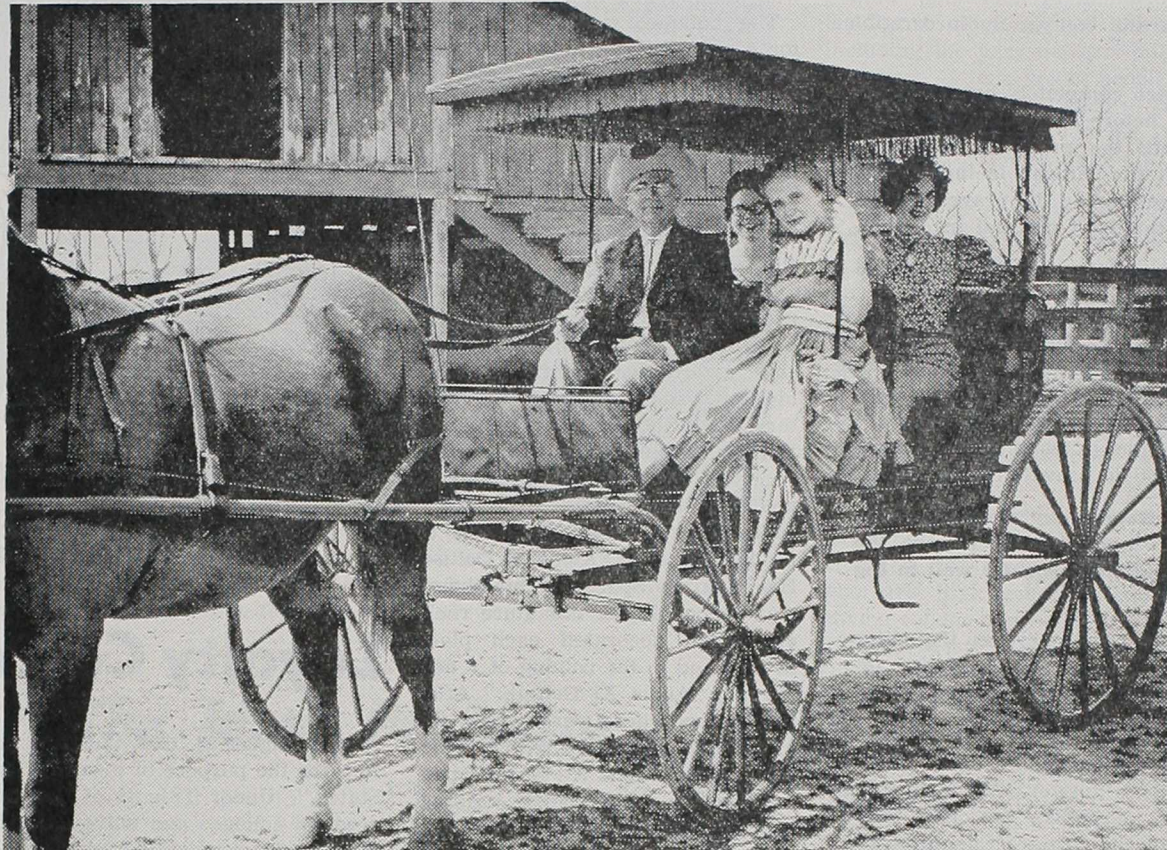
The elected offices of the Student Senate include president, vice-president, coed vice-president, secretary, treasurer and both a male and female independent representative. Requirements for running are junior or senior standing at the time of going into office, a grade average of 2.0 and the president must be a senior.

## Templeton Accepts Oregon Fellowship

Joan Templeton, senior English major, recently accepted a National Defense Fellowship in Contemporary British and American Literature to the University of Oregon. The fellowship will apply toward three years of graduate school at the University and is in the amount of two thousand dollars for the first academic year and increases for the succeeding years.

Joan chose the University of Oregon out of several offers from graduate schools and will leave in late September of this year. She credits her success in securing the fellowship not only to her academic work at Centenary, but also to recommendations from the English faculty here.

Joan is a member of Alpha Sigma Pi, Sigma Tau Delta, and Alpha Chi. Her social sorority is Zeta Tau Alpha.



"Won't you take a ride with us next Thursday?" say Aufait members Laurie Krueger, Jerri Rainwater and Lorine Crenshaw as they pose in their "Surrey with the Fringe on Top" entry in the Student Fair booths. The surrey is driven by Mr. O. L. Jordan. Many booths and entertainments will be featured on the campus Thursday, March 31, as the annual Student Fair gets under way.

## Student Fair Promises Fun

By SANDRA WHITLOCK

Thursday, March 31, promises to be a day of fun and excitement on the Centenary campus as the Student Fair makes its annual appearance. The fair will begin at 2:00 o'clock on Thursday afternoon and will last until 7:00 that evening, during which time Centenary students will be offered a wide variety of entertainment.

The Student Fair, which proved to be a big success last year, is backed by the Student Senate and has been guided in its organization by a committee which includes Harold Price, Jim Daigle, Fred Schwendiman, Mary Lou Lowe, Barbara Hyde, Paul McMahan, and Ken Hayes. Supporting the Student Senate, however, are the many organizations on campus which sponsor the various booths and rides, including the greek fraternities, religious groups, honorary societies, dormitories, and intramural councils.

The Student Fair will organize on the softball field next to Hardin Hall and the tennis courts, and for the afternoon of March 31, this area of the campus will give the appearance of a small-scale carnival with a variety of booths and novelty rides that will challenge the curiosity of any passer-by. At the present time it is known that among the attractions at the Fair, there will be: a fortune-telling booth

(Kappa Alpha), Bingo (Kappa Sigma), a Coffee House (Kappa Chi), a freak show (M.S.M.), a shoe shine booth with faculty members as shoe-shine boys (Alpha Xi Delta), putter links (Cencoe), a

## Bowling Free For Centenary, Tues.

The Southgate Bowling Alley on the corner of Hearne and Mansfield Road will have a grand opening on April 9 and 10. The alley will be open to the public on April 1.

The alley will be open on Tuesday afternoon, March 29, from 2:00-5:00 p. m. for use by Centenary students, according to Mr. Dale Runge, manager. Bowling will be free that day to campus students, as an introductory offer, and bowling shoes will be provided without charge to students needing them.

The new bowling place has 32 alleys, a spacious lobby, banquet room, dining room and luncheon counter. Decorations are in pastel colors and the lounge is carpeted. The bowling lanes are divided with 16 on either side. Mr. Martin E. Rose is assistant manager.

All Centenary students are invited to benefit from an enjoyable afternoon of free bowling next Tuesday.

popcorn booth (Hardin Hall), a washer toss (W.R.A.), a coke-top toss (Chi Omega), a silhouette booth (Phi Beta), a booth where someone will draw your caricature (Zeta Tau Alpha), a surrey ride (Aufait), a melodrama (James Dorm), and a helicopter ride (Choir).

The success of this year's Student Fair, as last year's, will depend on cooperation among all the students. Many students are already working hard through organizations to contribute to the building and management of the booths, etc., but the success of the Student Fair will not be totally dependent on this. It will depend on the students, faculty, and families who come to the Fair that afternoon. So grab your neighbor and HURRY, HURRY, HURRY to the Student Fair, Thursday afternoon, March 31. Showbucks may be purchased at the entrance and can be traded inside for an afternoon of fun.

### EVENTS OF WEEK

Friday, March 25—BSU Installation banquet at 7:30, SUB.

Saturday, Mar. 26—Aufait Party Tuesday, March 29—Free bowling at Southgate Bowling Alley.

Thursday, March 31—Student Fair!

## Interfaith Institute Begins Tomorrow

Reverend Paul Blanton, Wesley Foundation director at Southern Methodist University, will speak on campus three times tomorrow during the Interfaith Institute, sponsored by four religious organizations.

The theme of the Institute is "One Body, One Gospel, One World," and Mr. Blanton will speak on each of the three divisions.

The Baptist Student Union, Methodist Student Movement, Canterbury Club, and Westminster Fellowship are sponsoring the institute. All students and faculty members are invited to all parts of it.

The schedule of events is as follows:

- 9:30—Worship (in the chapel)
- 10:00—
- 11:30—Paul Blanton: "One Body" (in Science Bldg. 114) Discussion
- 12:00—Lunch
- 2:00—
- 3:30—Paul Blanton: "One Gospel" (Science Bldg., 114)
- 3:30—
- 4:00—Coffee
- 4:00—
- 5:30—Paul Blanton: "One World" (Science Bldg., 114)
- 5:30—Supper
- 7:30—Social — Fellowship and conversation (in Student Union Building)

## 13 Students Attend MSM Conference

Thirteen Centenary students, accompanied by Reverend and Mrs. H. Don Guynes and Reverend Lawrence Gilbert of Blanchard, attended the "Christianity and the Arts" conference sponsored by the Texas Methodist Student Movement at Southern Methodist University, in Dallas, Texas, March 18-20.

The conference included presentations and discussions of modern art forms: drama, literature, music, art and motion pictures. Dr. Edward C. Hobbs, Episcopal minister and professor of New Testament at The Church Divinity School of the Pacific at Berkeley, Calif., was the guest lecturer for the conference. Other speakers were Rev. Charles Boyles and Dr. Shubert Ogden, both of Dallas.

Centenary students attending the conference were: Barbara Barbee, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Bergeron, Lorine Crenshaw, Joe Chambers, Mary Lou Gassen, Dennis Gibson, Marie Nelson, Jean Netteville, Sarah Liberto, Susan Nethery, Jerre Rainwater and Jule Anne Young.

### AUFAIT PARTY

Aufait members will meet at the Texaco Club on Cross Lake for a cookout on Saturday, March 26. All members planning to attend are urged to contact Jule Anne Young before noon today.



## Jay's Colum

Well, people, Spring is here . . . and everyone's mind is turning to thoughts of . . . laziness. Even I feel affected by the vernal lightness of the air.

Last week I asked for opinions on capital punishment but received none. Perhaps this will inspire you: You are a murderer! The state murders criminals, the state is an extension of the individual, ergo you are a murderer. A little strong? I don't think so. Perhaps someone will start a petition to be presented to our legislature in an attempt to start legislation for outlawing capital punishment in Louisiana. Maximum security prisons are the answer for the completely incorrigible. This is my opinion, what's yours?

For the past several weeks I have been completely overawed by that pillar of princely power who stands before the surly, boisterous crowd. He stands sourly surveying until the group in chapel is quickly and strangely muted. I thought the Willson lectures were quite good, but didn't some of those people leading the prayers sound a great deal like Pharisees? But then, this isn't unusual in chapel.

Mr. G. asks me to ask "Cheesy" to "sing hymns that everyone (almost) knows!" A very good idea. O.K., Mr. V.?

I received a message this week concerning the possibilities of a cocktail hour in the SUB. I propose that it start at 5:15 (plenty of time to get from lab) and continue 'til 7:15, whereupon dinner will be served in the cafeteria. It was suggested long ago that checkered cloths be put on the tables in the cafeteria, and that we dine by candlelight. Perhaps a return engagement of the string quartet would provide dinner music.

This new use of the SUB would encourage many more people to come to the SUB just as the morning "break" did. This is the original purpose of the break and it should work equally well in the afternoon.

I have been asked for an opinion on the mix-up between the editor of the LSU paper and certain public education administrative officers. It is simply more attempts to suppress the freedom of the press. It's not only at LSU, guess where else it happens?

If, when, at what point, and by whom should public news vehicles be controlled are all questions very difficult to answer. Are such things as scandal magazines, payola, and yellow journalism the chaff that is inseparable from the wheat of freedom of the press? Can legislation separate (and do it well) the wheat from the chaff? I don't think so. Maybe censorship begins with the individual, or with the family. The only thing I'm sure of about this is that legislation is not the answer. What is your opinion?

Someone suggested that I mention something about this business of having required chapel attendance for tryouts of cheerleader and Student Senate candidates. That's alright with me as long as it's on a Thursday and not a Tuesday. But then they went on to emphasize once more that attendance would be a prerequisite for voting. This is ridiculous. I think it is quite foolish. Don't you, too?

Unclassified notes from the box: (1) Fire the registrar! (2) A request for "Free love and nickel beer" (sounds like a song title, doesn't it?) (3) A request for changes in top administrative positions written in rather colorful language, and (4) another quote: "Get a new Physical Ed. coach with a revised unbiased intramural program."

Congratulations to the *Conglomerate* for publishing the "Up-to-date" bit. I didn't think they would dare.

Terrific people of the week: Lorine Crenshaw and Sandy Lawn (a stage name?)—both for their great performances in the Follies.

Movies not to be missed: "On the Beach" and "Suddenly Last Summer."

## Wake Up, Centenarians!

Too long have we, student citizens of the Centenary campus, been lax in our duty to protect our rights. For months, even years, we have let the administration run the school. Our school spirit is a patriotism that only shows itself at basketball games . . . if there. What have we gained by our inertia? . . . nothing except accusations of apathy from certain elite students and faculty.

Our academic freedom and our freedom of expression have been suppressed. Our opinion has had no pressure on anyone. The politizei have ignored us and we have fallen the way of all mindless masses—into the darkness of blind obedience, if not blind ignorance. We must rouse ourselves from this drugged state and assert our rights.

Our attempts at self-assertion have been unorganized and thus futile. We are only half-heartedly admitting to ourselves the need for rebellion, reluctant to take steps such as sit-down strikes or effigy burning in fear of the ruling class. Such fear should not be the governing spirit of intelligent students with minds of their own! We must remember that the founding fathers of our basic documents advocated the right of necessary revolution. Why do we falter?

Now is the time to remedy the past, now the time to make way for the future. We cannot accept last week's administrative gift horse without reservations. Restrictions will too soon be imposed upon us, as early as the coming fall semester. Such future legislation must not be passed. But if we restrain ourselves now, what will happen? If we procrastinate active protest, it will be too late! Will you accept the challenge of the present as a condemnation of the past and a will to mold the future? It's your baby now.

"AUTO CARR TAGE"

NOTE: The above is a student letter expressing one student's opinion written under a coined pen name.

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## Alpha Xi's Attend 29th-Year Banquet

Alpha Xi Delta actives, alumnae, and pledges attended their annual Rose Banquet at the East Ridge Country Club last Friday night, March 18. The banquet, given by the alumnae, was in honor of Alpha Xi Delta's twenty-ninth year on the Centenary campus, since it was nationalized in 1931.

The banquet was the occasion for Alpha Xi Delta to officially announce their newly elected officers who will serve throughout next year at Centenary. Those elected were: Judy Hebert, president; Sandra Whitlock, vice-president; Kay France, secretary; and Donna Howell, treasurer and membership chairman.

Two awards of recognition were presented during the evening, also. To Cornelia Agurs went the scholarship award for maintaining the highest grade average in the chapter throughout this year. La Verne Burkes, a newly-initiated active, received the award for model-pledge of this year.

The theme which prevailed at the banquet was "Alpha Xi Delta—Her Goal in Space." This theme was echoed in the miniature rockets which decorated each place setting and in the coining of a new phrase, "Alpha Xi Deltnik." After dinner speeches were given by Mrs. Miles Snider, Province Vice-President of Alpha Xi; Kay France, and Louella Bains, newly initiated active, to represent Alpha Xi Delta—Past Present, and Future.

The banquet was ended with the traditional roll call of all active Alpha Xi's who have attended Centenary College since 1931.

### NOTICE

The Student Affairs Committee is holding its third joint meeting (that is, both student and faculty members of the committee) this Tuesday, March 29, in the Student Senate room, at 10:30, for the purpose of considering only one very minor aspect of student "lice," namely, the schedule of classes. Asked to meet with this committee are: Mr. Cheesy Voran, Lt. Col. Robert S. Scott, Mr. Ed Parker, Mr. Joseph Running, and Mrs. Elizabeth Hughes.

## Two Men Attend Fraternity Meet

Two representatives from Centenary will attend the province meeting of Omicron Delta Kappa today and tomorrow on the campus of Mississippi State College in Starkville, Miss. Representing the campus chapter of ODK at the meet are Dr. Jack Teagarden and William E. "Jackie" Carpenter.

Dr. Teagarden, associate professor of English, is faculty secretary of the chapter and Carpenter serves as president of the fraternity. The principal speaker at the gathering is Arno Haack, dean of students at Washington University in St. Louis, Mo., and national president of ODK.

The program will include lectures and discussions on the purposes and goals of ODK, honorary men's leadership and service organization for junior and senior college students.

## LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



"BUT WHEN I SAID YOU COULD TAKE ME HOME AFTER THE DANCE—I THOUGHT YOU MEANT MY—"

## Loyalty Coercion Invalid

By KATHY MACK

On August 23, 1958, Congress passed the National Defense Education Act, for the purpose of insuring "the intellectual eminence of the United States." Under Title II of this act, Federal funds are granted to accredited colleges and universities for low-interest student loans. As the Federal Government's first general program of aid to higher education, the N. D. E. A. sets a precedent for future action in this field.

However, because of section 1001 (f) which requires the institution to demand and the student applying for a loan to sign both an oath and affidavit affirming that he (the student) is no part of an organization that believes in the overthrow of the United States government by force or violence and that he bears true allegiance to the United States, this act has become extremely controversial. It has often been condemned as being "a small Smith act," directed particularly at individuals who are students of institutions of higher learning. Specifically, it has been branded as an act based on distrust and as such, one that does not induce loyalty.

The faults of the bill can be more clearly summarized in this way: (1) it forces the colleges and universities into the unprecedented role of administering "test oaths" for the Government; (2) it creates no inhibitions for any genuine communists who are taught to perjure; (3) it keeps out qualified individuals who resent such a requirement, who consider it a restraint upon freedom of thought, who are conscientiously opposed to test oaths, and who are apprehensive in their interpretation; (4) its wording is too vague; (5) it forces institutions which value their educational principles to take a definite stand; (6) it singles out educators and students; and (7) compels and coerces belief.

Because of the loyalty provision of this act and its repercussions, the Clark-Kennedy bill was introduced to remove section 1001 (f) from the N. D. E. A. The bill failed. Why? One most influential reason is that students themselves failed to express their opinions on the loyalty provision act, an act directly applicable to them. In this case, silence meant tacit agreement, but I wonder if this is really true. Do students have no real qualms about signing such an oath? The so-called silent generation did not voice themselves on this issue and if they continue to remain voiceless, they will find conditions as they are. If there is any hope of removing this loyalty provision or making it more specific, it rests with the opinions of the students who express their disapproval. This can be done simply by writing your Congressman (both of which, in Louisiana, it might be added, voted against the Clark-Kennedy bill).

NOTE: This article is based on a pamphlet "Worse Than Futile" published by The Harvard Crimson.



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## British Scholarships Available to Grads

Twenty-four Marshall scholarships at British universities are offered annually by the British Government to United States graduate students as an expression of the United Kingdom's gratitude for the generous and far-sighted Program for European Recovery.

The awards are made to students of either sex, who must be U. S. citizens, under 26 years of age, except exceptional circumstances, and graduates of a degree-granting college or university of the U. S. They should be prepared to spend a reasonable proportion of their vacation time in the United Kingdom.

The scholarships are tenable at any university in the United Kingdom. Every effort is made to place a scholar at the university of his first choice, where this choice is in keeping with his degree program. The awards are made for two years, but may be extended for a third year. Marshall Scholars are required to take a degree at their British university.

The scholars receive £550 a year and approved tuition fees. There are small allowances for books. A married man's scholarship may be increased by £200 a year in certain circumstances. They receive their transportation between their U. S. homes and their United Kingdom universities.

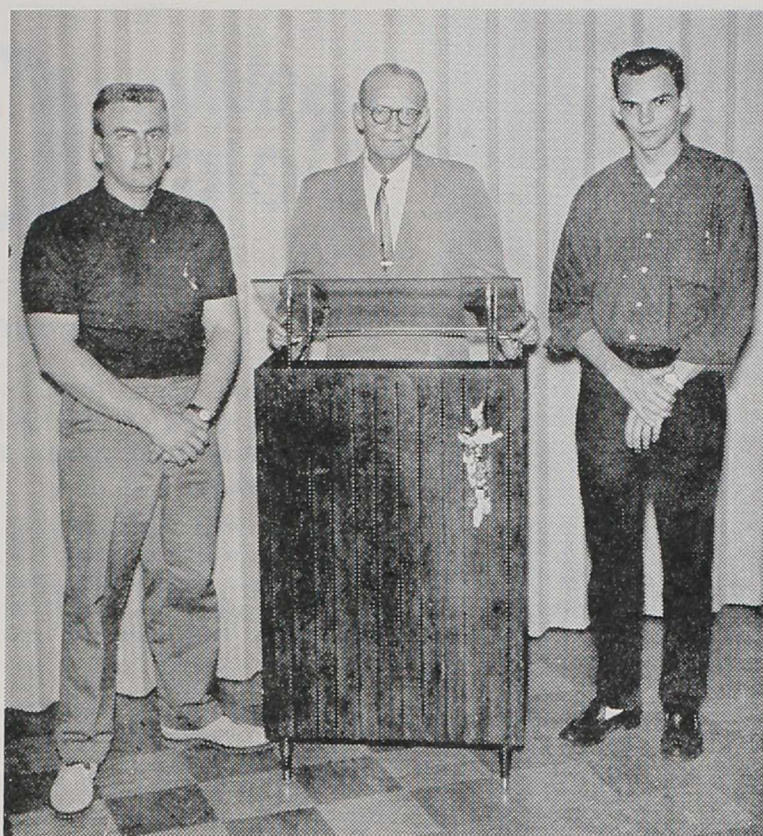
In appointing Marshall Scholars, the selectors look for distinction of intellect and character as evidenced both by scholastic attainment and by other activities and achievements. Preference is given to candidates who combine high academic ability with the capacity to play an active part in the United Kingdom university to which they go.

Short lists of recommended candidates are drawn up by five regional committees, each composed of the British Consul-general for the region and five United States citizens. At least four scholarships are awarded in each of the five regions. These lists are forwarded to Washington for consideration by an advisory council. This council submits its own recommendations with those of the regional committees to the Marshall Aid Commemoration Commission in London.

Prospective candidates should write to the British Consulate General for the region for which application is to be made. Applications to be taken up in 1961 must be in the hands of the appropriate regional committee by October 31, 1960. Additional information and addresses are available in the Conglomerate office.

## Racketeers Begin Spring Competition

Friday, March 25:	
Northwestern	(H)
Thursday, March 31:	
Southwestern	(H)
Saturday, April 2:	
Pan American	(H)
Tuesday, April 5:	
Louisiana Tech	(H)
Friday, April 8:	
McNeese	(T)
Tuesday, April 19:	
Northwestern	(T)
Wednesday, April 27:	
Louisiana Tech	(T)
Friday, May 6:	
Southwestern	(T)
Saturday, May 7:	
Southeastern	(T)



Kappa Alpha brothers, Jimmie Hamric, Mr. Bryant Davidson and Ralph Akin, are shown with the new lecture rostrum that the campus order of KA made and gave to Mr. Davidson, head of the department of history, in token of appreciation for his years of service to the chapter.

## The Ideal Professor

To honor an individual by naming him the ideal professor is to say that he is the embodiment of our highest concept of education. His is the honor not so much by achievement, although this may be a result of his ability, rather it is an honor based on what we may choose to call attitude or manner.

In our age education has become a symptom of the national pragmatism. Persons, generally speaking, do not seek higher education today to develop their minds as much as to obtain a college degree for a particular occupation. The ideal of education as the development of the individual's thinking ability has thus been supplanted by the practical ideal. The ideal professor today, as far as I am concerned, is a unique individual who has remained aloof from this practicality so as to stress creative thought rather than parroted knowledge.

Specifically, the ideal professor on our campus is recognized and admired both by his faculty associates and his students. Physically, he is of slight build and medium stature. His manner is relaxed and alert; his mood, contemplative. He is a quiet but forceful man, both in his general appearance and in his expression.

His classroom manner creates the impression that he considers the class a testing ground for the individual's mental processes and for setting off explosions which lead to real scholarship — the activity of the inquiring mind. His concentration is suggested by his gazing long and hard out a window

before answering a student's question or while listening to it; by his stress on participation in discussion; by his willingness to confer with any student or discuss any questions; and by his gentle probing to test the logic of and reason for a student's opinion. There are in his hands no lecture notes — further evidence that here is a professor who considers knowledge important only when it stimulates a student intellectually; it is a proof that he has followed this concept himself, for he is so completely the master of his discipline that notes would be completely gratuitous.

The totality of these impressions is enough to convince us that he is the embodiment of our highest educational ideal. We recognize in his high achievement as teacher a flaming torch in the pervasive blackness of academe.

For those fortunate enough to have shared the excitement of his courses, it will be obvious that Professor Bryant Davidson is our ideal teacher-scholar.

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## Library Book Review

"Regardless of what your hobby or interest may be, there is a good chance that you can adapt it to library service," is the provocative statement of Adrian A. Paradis in his newest book for career-minded teenagers.

**Librarians Wanted: Careers in Library Service** is the interesting story of our public, school, college, government, business, medical, legal and other special libraries, including the very newest—missile libraries. It tells young people almost everything they need to know about the library profession, from the training required to how to get a job.

Opportunities in library service are rapidly increasing, not simply in greater numbers, but with new purposes and new roles. The author reveals the many fascinating jobs that await those who choose the library profession, and points out that because of increased prestige and higher salaries, librarianship is no longer considered solely "women's work."

**Librarians Wanted** is divided into three parts. The preface directs attention to potential librarians who are high school graduates, have a college degree, or are working for a Master's degree in library service. The first three chapters stress the myriad types of library jobs which afford a variety of stimulating experiences, proving that libraries are no longer merely "storehouses for books."

### Library Visitation

In Part Two — How Libraries Serve Us — facts about librarianship and the various fields of service are given. The reader visits all kinds of libraries and meets some impressive library personalities. The opportunities that the library world holds for imaginative and ambitious young people are discussed. Mr. Paradis' picture is an honest one, listing the disadvantages, as well as the advantages, of various types of service, and emphasizing the importance of professional training.

Part Three — Preparing for a Library Career — appraises the elements which contribute to per-

sonal satisfaction as well as financial success in this field, and the author asks, "Is It For You?" Two other chapters of this section deal with "Making Your Start" and "How to Find a Job."

All through the book, librarianship is presented as a way of life, with the promise of prestige, satisfaction and a good living to those who fit into the picture.

### New York Librarian

Adrian Paradis, who holds a B.S. in Library Service from Columbia University, has been a librarian for one of New York's largest law firms, organized one of the first economic research libraries in the transportation industry, and is a successful business executive. He shares his personal knowledge of the library field with penetrating description and a clear appraising style.

**Librarians Wanted** is an important contribution to "career" publications for teenagers, being the first of its particular type in the library field. It should give inspiration to the searching student, as well as insight to parents, teachers and librarians who wish to guide their young people into a rewarding life work.

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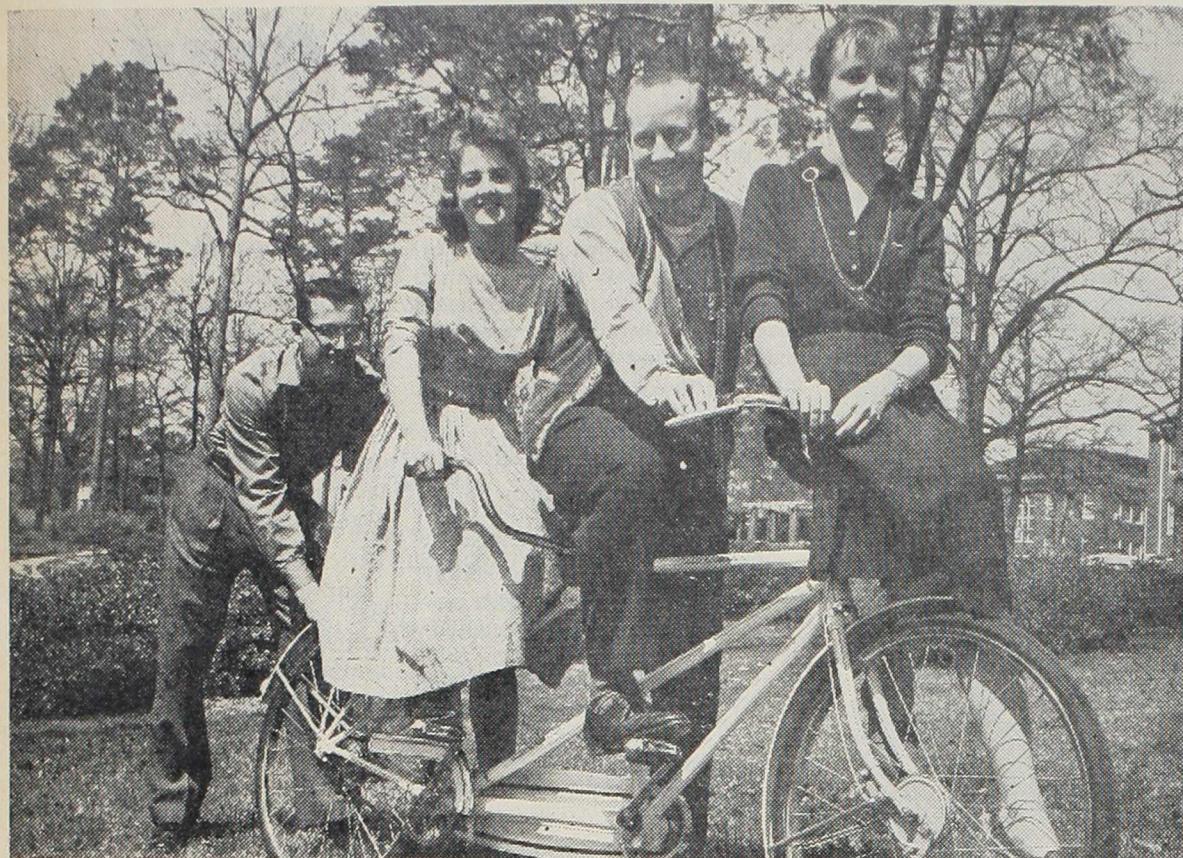
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"In the spring, a young man's fancy lightly turns to" . . . taking Kay Tipton and Nora Bess Stafford on a bicycle-built-for-two ride. Personalities Buddy Dailey and Ernest Heard both help by pedaling and pushing. The unique bicycle was provided by Centenary Hardware.

## Unusual Names, Pranks Typical of Personalities

"Tippy Toes" and "The Red-Headed Bombshell" are two of the nicknames applied to Miss Kay Tipton, freshman from Marshall, Texas. Since Freshmen Follies, Kay has had the brightest red hair Centenary Campus has ever seen. She wants everyone to know that underneath she is the same Kay Tipton. "I've washed it twelve times, and I'm still a red-head," laments Kay.

The nickname "Tippy Toes Tipton" belongs to Kay because she loves to dance. Everyone who saw the Freshmen Follies will remember her solo in "Annie Get Your Gun." During rehearsals Kay's trademark was her black net stockings which had a flower on one leg. The first time anyone saw Kay in her stockings, they would swear she has a tattoo on her leg.

"I guess I caused the most commotion the time I blew out the candle during a Chi Omega candle ceremony," says Kay. "It was Lorita Donahue's ceremony (she is engaged to Kay's brother, Billy Pat Tipton), and I was so excited that I blew it out for her. No one could figure out who I was engaged to. I couldn't either for that matter."

Kay also loves cats ("my cat just had five kittens"), thinks the SUB is a wonderful place, and is currently very interested in the Centenary baseball team. All in all we can say that as long as Kay Tipton remains on Centenary campus, there will never be a dull moment.

### CHILD PRODIGY?

"When I was a freshman at Centenary, someone took one look at me and asked if I were a child prodigy." This is just one incident in the life of the youngest looking senior on the campus, Nora Bess Stafford. "I've been 14½ for seven years," laments Nora Bess. "Saleswomen still won't show me the kind of clothes I want. They always direct me to the Teen Department."

Nora Bess lives in Shreveport and is an English major. She moved from Dallas to Shreveport her senior year in high school. "I'm really a Texan at heart," says Nora Bess, "but they made me

move when they found that I wouldn't get any bigger."

Nora Bess is a member of Sigma Tau Delta, Cencoe, Panhellenic Council, and Alpha Xi Delta Sorority. She has served her sorority as secretary, rush chairman, and historian. She is also representing Centenary on the "Mademoiselle College Board."

"Now that it's time for me to graduate, I've decided to adopt the old philosophy that it is disgraceful for a woman to work."

### HOUSE BREAKER

Ernest Heard is sophomore personality this week. He is a pre-ministerial major from Beaumont, Tex. Before coming to Centenary, he attended South Park High School and Lamar Tech in Beaumont. After finishing Centenary, Ernest plans to enter Perkins at Dallas.

Ernest is an active member of M.S.M. and Kappa Chi. His favorite dish is spaghetti and meat balls, and he likes sunny weather "like in Texas." Ernest likes to bowl, play baseball and play chess. His greatest pet peeve is insincerity.

Not many people have been accused of house breaking, but Ernest has. When he was a high school junior, he had a paper route. He folded the papers at his aunt's gift shop to which he had a key. Early one cold morning Ernest decided to wait inside for the papers to be brought to him. While he was looking for a match to light a fire, a patrol car pulled up. The officer asked what he was doing. "Waiting for papers" was the reply. After waiting around the corner and

### OPTIMISTIC BEATNIK

Buddy Dailey is our nature loving personality this week. Some of his favorite pastimes include fishing, hunting, water skiing, boating and all sports.

Once Buddy caught a six pound bass. It was kept in the deep freeze for a year. He just never got around to getting it stuffed. Finally the biology department wound up with the treasure. Buddy doesn't even need a line to get a fish. He bagged a buffalo fish that weighed about 12 pounds. After making a quick sale of the fish for \$2.50, Buddy found that he could have gotten about fifty cents per pound for the fish.

Buddy is a junior majoring in biology. Some of his activities on campus include being vice president of the Student Senate and president of Kappa Alpha Fraternity. Buddy has been a class officer and was in the Mardi Gras Court. He is a member of the Biology Club and participates in intramurals.

Optimism is one of Buddy's main characteristics. He has some pet peeves but he doesn't remember them unless someone does one of them.

This year Buddy has quite a collection of whiskers for the Kappa Alpha Secession. He has been accused by Brenda Bailey of looking like a beatnik rather than a Southern gentleman.

watching Ernest through the window, the reliable Beaumont police left Ernest to his paper folding, at last convinced of his honesty.

## 'ROUND BIG C ENTENARY

By GINNY EMERSON

Gathered around the television watching "Twilight Zone" and eating steaks at Bill Robinson's were Centenaryites: Gail Stimpert, Ken Bond, Lyndra Pate, Betty Turner, Bill Towery and Mike Eiser.

Whirling across the dance floor Saturday night to the "stereo" at the Sig house were Mary Ellen Gaughan, Jack Green, Joy Camerer, Bobby Ross, Elizabeth and Rod Yeager.

Nancy Dixon hosted Margaret Reeves this weekend in Camden; Nancy Stobaugh had as her guest in Little Rock Carol Reichelt. Barry Bolack was also a guest in Little Rock last weekend. He was hosted by Janet McClellan.

Sara Blevins, Robert Lawton, Julia Miles, John Butcher and Dick Morehead were some of those spending the weekend out at Marylyn Hendrick's camp at a party hosted by Dr. Hendrick. A good time was had by all.

Abbie Terry, Dub Fletcher, Sallie Clingman, Fred Schwendimann, Sara Hitchcock, Jay Lang, Jane Ilgenfritz and Warren West were

some of those who attended the Shrimp Boil at the Y.M.C.A.

Congratulations to Frankie Stokes, who is proudly wearing an Aggie Pin, and to Linda Erickson who is flashing a new sparkler.

New Orleans was the scene of fun this last weekend for Patsy Stamps, Brenda Bailey, and Betsy Gould.

The KA's hosted the students with an open house Tuesday morning at which time they honored Mr. Davidson, one of their faculty advisors. Several of those seen enjoying coffee were Patsy Stamps, Tannie McDade, Gail Stimpert, Becky Graham, Brenda Bailey, Beverly Paul, Martha Simmons and Betty Turner.

### DRAMA WORKSHOP

Anyone interested in forming a Student Drama Workshop is asked to call Jerry Mitchell at 4-1256.



## Statistic!

The other day our vice president in charge of good news announced that someone, somewhere, enjoys Coke 58 million times a day. You can look at this 2 ways:

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## Campus Accepts Plans For 4th Girls' Dorm

By A. Fool

New construction plans have been submitted and accepted for a new girls' dormitory to be constructed in the present location of the tennis courts. This dormitory is to match James Dormitory in architecture and has been planned to balance that side of the campus.

In accordance with the building program which was begun last year, plans have also been submitted for a new library, a new music building, and another boys' dormitory. However, it has been decided to postpone the erection of these new buildings for another girls' dorm is more needed.

Josephine I. V. Hall is to be even more luxurious than James. As the girls enter the dorm, they will be met by houseboys who will take their packages, books, etc., and place them in their rooms. Each room will have a private phone so that the vice-president won't have to mess with a phone list and so the poor freshmen won't be so mistreated. Freshmen will be allowed a night out beginning the first semester and all upper classmen will have the freedom of no restriction in hours on the weekend.

### STEREO

There will be three libraries and each one will be equipped with a television and a stereo. Boys visiting the dorm will be allowed to stay until 12:00 p. m. each night and the girls won't have to take a night out in their honor.

Plans are being made for a much improved kitchen that will be stocked with food for snacks. A cook will be on duty all hours of the day and girls will be able to call and place an order which will be delivered to their rooms.

The most exciting addition to the dorm is a swimming pool which will be in the basement so that the girls can keep in shape all year. Girls living in James, Hardin, Sexton and Rotary hall will have an opportunity to swim there at all times provided they provide their own towels and suits and that they behave. Adjoining the pool will be a recreation room equipped with a pool table, ping-pong table, shuffle board, a juke box and a bar. Parties are scheduled for every Monday and Wednesday nights from 8:00 until 12:00. In order to allow students to attend these dances night classes will not be held on these nights.

### MAID SERVICE

Maid service is one of the best features of the new plans. The occupants will no longer have to clean their own rooms for maids will be provided to do this lowly task. Of course, their salary will be included in the tuition which will be raised again. Thus, they don't have to work too hard since no one can afford to come to school at Centenary even now since

scholarships are something of the past.

At the present time, these are the only details that have been completed. When others are decided upon we'll clue in.

APRIL FOOL!

## Hickcox Awarded Hemenway Grant

The Hemenway Grant for the summer of 1960 will be held by Charles A. Hickcox, head of the geology department, as announced by President Joe J. Mickle.

The grant was established several years ago by the Hemenway Furniture Co., Inc., to enable one faculty member each year to spend his vacation months in pursuits of his own interest. The grant carries with it a sum equal to the amount the faculty member normally would earn teaching summer school courses.

A member of the campus faculty since 1946, Hickcox served as dean of students pending the engagement of a full-time person for that post. He holds the BS degree from Middlebury College and the MS degree from Oklahoma University. He has done graduate work at Harvard University in Cambridge, Mass.

Hickcox served for three years with the Alaskan branch of the U. S. Geological Survey; is the author or co-author of many geological articles and reports; and was a one-time oil field geologist in the Illinois fields. He has taught at the University of Oklahoma, Oklahoma A and M, Brooklyn College and Middlebury.

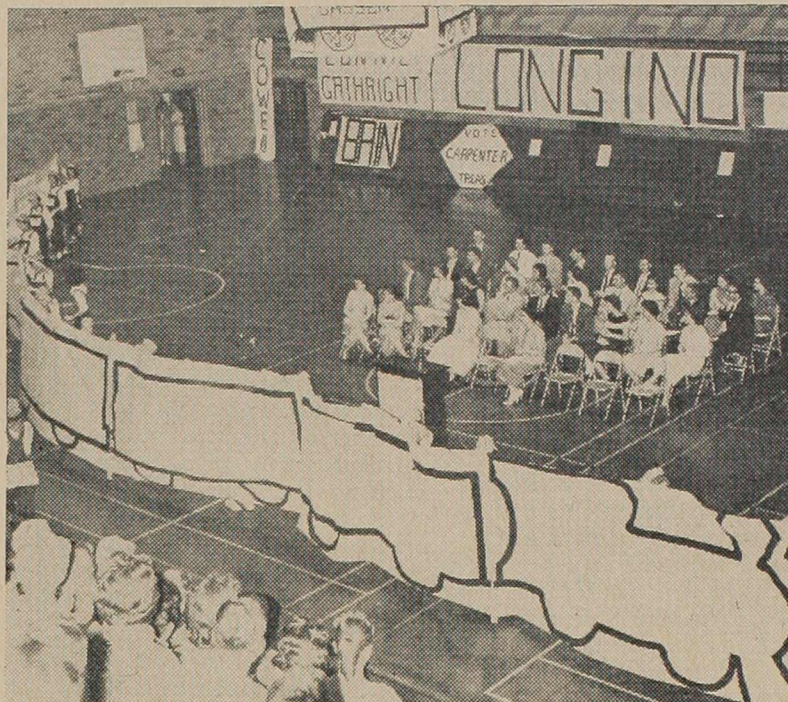
He won the 1950-51 Louisiana Award of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, has held numerous important positions in the Louisiana Academy of Sciences, Shreveport Geological Society and other professional organizations.

Previous recipients of the grant include Dr. John B. Entrikin, Bryant Davidson and Dr. W. D. Overdyke. Hickcox will use the grant to spend the summer in Newport, Vt., where he will engage in research projects and do some geological field work.

### HONOR COURT

The Honor Court met this weekend and found two people guilty and acquitted none.

Steve Victory,  
Chief Justice



"It's that time again . . .  
(These are the times that try men's souls.)"

## Chambers, Dr. Warters To Attend AED Meet

Members of Alpha Epsilon Delta, the national premedical honor society, will meet at the University of Louisville, Kentucky, on April 7-9, for the 13th national convention of the society. Founded at the University of Alabama in 1926, Alpha Epsilon Delta is an internationally recognized honor society with a membership of approximately 19,500 in 74 active chapters in the United States and Canada.

Representing the Louisiana Gamma Chapter of Centenary College will be Carlton Chambers, Secretary, and Dr. Mary Warters, faculty advisor. They will leave Shreveport Wednesday noon by plane and return from Louisville on Sunday.

Carlton Chambers, a junior at Centenary, besides being active in AED, has also been a member of the Centenary Band, the Biology Club, Alpha Sigma Chi, and Canterbury Club.

### BUSINESS SESSIONS

The business sessions of the convention will be held on Thursday and Friday. At the convention banquet Friday evening, Dr. Ward Darley, Executive Director, Association of American Medical Colleges, will speak on "Medicine and Its Challenge to Youth."

On Saturday morning, premedical and pre-dental advisors and students from colleges in the Kentucky area will join with members of the convention for an all-day conference on "Careers in Medicine and Dentistry." There will also be two panel discussions on admission requirements and procedures for medical and dental schools. The speakers and panelists will serve as experts for an informal discussion of problems of interest to all students and advisors.

The afternoon program will include an exhibit, "Medicine—The

Most Demanding Rewarding Profession" and a film "I Want To Be A Doctor" prepared for the American Medical Association. In addition there will be conferences with the several Admissions Committee representatives from the medical and dental schools. The program will close with a tour of the University of Louisville School of Medicine.

## College Recipient Of Gift From Shell

Shell Companies Foundation, Inc., of New York, has given Centenary a gift of \$1,500, according to Dr. Joe J. Mickle, president.

Dr. Mickle said the gift actually covers donations for three grants of \$500 each, and each of the grants has been designated for a specific purpose.

\$500 will be used by the mathematics department to improve the teaching effectiveness of the individual instructors in the department. The remaining \$1,000 of the gift includes a grant of \$500 for institutional use by the college and \$500 for discretionary use of the dean of the college.

Dr. Mickle said no final decision has been reached as to exactly how these sums will be utilized, but it is possible that portions of both grants will be used to finance summer research projects on the part of some faculty member of the college or to cover travel expenses to important educational workshops or meetings.

## ODK Taps 3 Men Into Beta Pi Circle

Three men students were tapped into membership in the Beta Pi Circle of Omicron Delta Kappa, honorary men's leadership and service organization, in chapel last week. The three honored were Jim Daigle, Shreveport; Ralph Mason, Selma, Ala.; and Jim Riley, Shreveport.

"Leadership" was the topic of discussion followed by Judge George W. Hardy, Jr., presiding judge of the Second District Court of Appeals, who was guest speaker for the occasion. Jackie Carpenter, chapter president, presided at the program and Dr. Jack Teagarden, associate professor of English and faculty secretary of the chapter, introduced Judge Hardy.

Daigle is a junior speech major and vice-president of Kappa Sigma fraternity, president of the junior class, member of the Student Senate and the Interfraternity Council and member of the Intramural Council. He is active in the Newman Club and has taken leading roles in many productions at the Marjorie Lyons Playhouse. He has had summer stock experience and is an advanced ROTC cadet.

Mason is an advanced ROTC cadet, has served on the Intramural Council, has been vice-president and president of Kappa Alpha fraternity and was elected freshman, sophomore and junior class favorite. Majoring in pre-law, he is president of Rotary Hall and has been a letterman in basketball since 1958.

Riley, senior music major, has served as president of the college band, was twice president of the choir, is active in Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia and has been a member of Alpha Sigma Pi. He is currently a member of Alpha Chi.

The honor of membership in the society is among the highest which can be accorded a junior or senior male student and selection is based on scholarship, leadership, service and potential for future service and participation in extra-curricular activities.

### NOTICE

All prospective candidates are reminded of the following publications obligations. These four items must be in the **Conglomerate** office by Monday afternoon, April 4:

- 1) statement of platform (approximately 250-300 words)
- 2) glossy print portrait type picture
- 3) list of qualifications, memberships and honors
- 4) grade average—checked in the office and signed by the registrar.

Any questions should be directed to Patsy Stamps, editor, before Monday.



## Jay's Colum

First item this week is a correction for last week's column. Every where the word murder, murderer, etc., was used, the word kill, killer, etc., should have been used. The word kill provides the more correct interpretation. This was pointed out to me in no uncertain terms.

Within a few days you will find in the SUB a petition dealing with capital punishment. This petition will be sent to State Representative Jesse McLain who is attempting to have capital punishment abolished in Louisiana.

**Did you know that the constitution of the Student Senate of our fair and glorious temple of learning is concerned only "controlling" and "governing" the student body and has no provision for preserving any rights of the individual? In view of all the current discussion about administrative oppression, it isn't too comforting to find that this oppression is even guaranteed by our own constitution.**

Several months ago I bought a student directory published by Omicron Delta Kappa, used the profits for some worthy cause, but surely not for printing. Several pages are completely illegible. The volume of incorrect numbers is completely inexcusable. Did you know that the main switchboard number is not even listed? Perhaps Omicron Delta Kappa, or someone else, will do a better job next year.

**When is something going to be done about the abominably slow service at the snack bar in the SUB?**

**The most irksome things I can think of: funeral home advertisements on radio, and any kind of commercials (other than previews, of course) in movies.**

**CONGRATULATIONS to "Auto Carr Tagg." I propose a burning next week. In effigy, of course! From the box: (verbatim).**

Dear Dr. Mickle: Since we had to evacuate the science auditorium and move our speech class to the playhouse (which is only a fifteen minute walk from the center of student activity, the SUB) why is it that while we are saying our speeches in the Green Room we can't have quiet from outside in the corridor? Could it be that Mr. Gifford is not capable of controlling the other activities in the building?

Suggestion: Either move the speech classes back to the science building or see that the professors have better control of their students during breaks.

(signed) A Bunch

**Why do we have only toast and jelly for Sunday breakfast? We used to at least have donuts, but they cut this out also; NO FINANCES? (I never eat breakfast, so I surely don't know. . . . Jay)**

**Some asinine person writes "I suggest you remove your box!" But someone else wrote "I like you?" I'm very suspicious of the question mark, however. I also received an empty match book (which I don't collect so keep 'em otta here) and a playing card, the ace of hearts. If it were the ace of spades I would readily understand. It wasn't even a marked card. Don't panic, Mrs. Nick, I'll send it back.**

I have a message on a paper napkin, but it is partly illegible and I can't fill in the meaning. If whoever sent it would tell me what it says, I'll put it in the column next week.

Advice for the week: Start planning now which bloc you're going to vote with; and: There is still time . . . brother.

Remember: BIG BROTHER IS WATCHING YOU!

Jay

## Chance Wayne From Exile

Barcelona  
Mar. 23, 1960

Dear Patsy,

You say you want a piece on April Fool's day. And just because I don't have anything to do right now for pere's business interests, and just because mama's check hasn't arrived and I'm temporarily stranded here, I think I will.

April Fool's day is unbothered, untrammelled, and unknelled. When they find a way to sell presents, cards, or decorations for April Fool's day, then perhaps it will come into its own, but until then I fear we shall hardly notice it. There aren't even any popular songs about it. Imagine, if you will, the Johnny Mathis version of *Let There Be April Fools For Me and My Baby?* Or Walt Disney devoting a week of Mickey Mouse Club to an examination of the way April Fool's Day is celebrated around the world? Or Mrs. Hudgins preparing a special meal for it?

Here the rites of spring are ushered in not by young men's thoughts turning to what the Latins pretend to think about all the time, but by rioting. They have a student propaganda magazine, *motiva* (yes, no capitals—it's so modern, you know), and this month the thing had a garish orange and red cover with three agonized faces representing either three lost souls in Hades or three students discovering that they had one too many cuts in Chapel, Great Issues, and Science Seminar, respectively. It had so much pseudo-modern poetry in it that I don't think the more enthusiastic will be able to wait for May Day this year.

So a new spring, and a fresh round of summit talks begins again. On disarmament again. In Paris last week, a young French diplomat told me in a mood of resigned cynicism that somehow the Prime Ministers, no matter what their protestations of disarmaments, always left enough loopholes or postponements in the pacts to allow themselves the luxury of a *petite guerre* now and then.

It may be just the glint of the new spring sun on the olive leaves, or only the first imported vitamin capsule, but as one April fool to another, Patsy, I still see grounds for optimism, and what's more, laughter.

Amor y besos, Chance

## Band Schedules Annual Concert

The College Band will present its annual formal spring concert Tuesday, April 12, at 8:00 p. m. in the Haynes Memorial Gymnasium.

Officers of the band will traditionally assist Director B. P. Causey with the concert arrangements. Allen Sherman, Shreveport, is president of the band and plays trumpet. Vice-president is Jackie Carpenter who plays the baritone saxophone. Linda Stone serves as secretary-treasurer and plays the French horn.

The program will include classical, martial and popular selections from one of the better known Broadway musicals. The program has been planned to appeal to the tastes of as many age groups as possible. Only student soloists will be featured.

Proceeds from the event will be used to purchase equipment for the band, according to Mr. Causey. Tickets are available from any member of the band for fifty cents, students and one dollar, adults. Tickets will be available at the door the night of the performance.

### PANHELLENIC RETREAT

The Panhellenic Retreat will be held Saturday, April 9, at the Texaco Club. All women members of Greek social fraternities are invited.

## Blackburn To Head Biology Fraternity

Gamma Beta Gamma, the Centenary biology club, was reactivated at a joint meeting of the Biology faculty and interested students on March 8.

The club will serve to stimulate biological interests of its members. Gamma Beta Gamma will also provide opportunity for experiment and research that members would be unable to perform individually.

Dr. O. P. Wilkins is faculty sponsor, with Dr. Mary Warters, Dr. Richard Spears, and Mrs. Elsie McFarland serving as advisors.

E. O. Blackburn was appointed president by the advisors. Other officers appointed were Harold Bounds, vice president; Alwynelle Self, secretary; Barbara Barbee, treasurer.

## Beasley Featured In Faculty Recital

Rule Beasley, instructor in woodwinds and piano, presented a piano recital Tuesday, March 29, as the second in the current Faculty Recital Series. In addition to the piano, Beasley plays the bassoon, saxophone and organ. He is bassoonist for the Shreveport Symphony Orchestra and has been presented in recitals in many cities of the United States.

A voice recital by Monas Harlan, associate professor of voice, is scheduled for April with Miss Myrtis Fortenberry, assistant professor of music, as piano accompanist. The series will be concluded in May with an instrumental recital by four members of the music school faculty.

## LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



## Student Senate

The March 16 meeting of the Student Senate was called to order by the President, Dub Fletcher. Others present at the meeting were Dean Allen, Brenda Bailey, Dr. Virginia Carlton, Buddy Daily, Sonny Elder, Connie Gathright, Ken Haynes, Barbaran Hyde, Mary Lou Low, Paul McMahan, Harold Price, and Fred Willis.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The President asked that a letter of thanks be written to the freshmen for their outstanding production of the Freshman Follies.

Harold Price, chairman of the Student Fair Committee, reported the present plans for the event. It was decided if rain prevents the Student Fair being held March 31 it will be held April 7.

The motion was passed stating that the American Legion train be secured for the Student Fair.

The annual Faculty Show is to be presented April 19 as an intermission feature of the Founder's Day Dance.

It was decided that keys for members of the Student Senate should be ordered in the very near future.

In a letter from the Southern Methodist University Students' Association a special invitation was extended to Centenary Students to attend the Manada spring weekend festivities to be held April 8 and 9 on the S. M. U. campus. It was also requested that a special representative be sent to be one of the princesses attending the S. M. U. Manada Queen. A motion was passed that "Miss Centenary" represent Centenary College in the Manada celebration.

There was a lengthy discussion concerning the proposed House of Representatives. The vote for the idea will be conducted at the March 23 meeting of the Senate.

The meeting was closed in regular order.

Respectively submitted  
Dub Fletcher, President  
Connie Gathright, Secretary



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## Article By Guerin Appears In Print

"Christian Myth and Naturalistic Deity: A View of The Great Gatsby" is the title of an article by Dr. Wilfred Guerin, assistant professor of English, that will appear in the forthcoming issue of "Renaissance: A Critical Journal of Letters."

Dr. Guerin says in the article that F. Scott Fitzgerald contrasts the medieval legend of the Holy Grail with the modern, naturalistic view of the cosmos in his novel, "The Great Gatsby." The Journal is published by the Catholic Renaissance Society.

Dr. Guerin, whose work has appeared in many scholarly publications, holds the BA, MA and PhD degrees from Tulane University. He has been a member of the campus faculty since 1953.

### PHI BETA "HORROR!"

Phi Beta is sponsoring its second annual Horror Show tonight at 7:30 p. m. in the Music Building. The show was such a success last spring that plans were immediately made for an even more horrible repeat performance this year. The movie which has been secured is "The Thing." Several fiendish personalities will be on hand to add color.

Don't miss the most nightmarish experience of your life!

## Zinser Launches College Campaign

A campaign to encourage college graduates to come to Chicago immediately upon graduation for many "new and old" job opportunities, was launched today by the Zinser Personnel Service, 79 West Monroe St., Chicago.

Mrs. Anne V. Zinser, director, said that the Chicago area is booming with employment opportunities for both men and women. "Here is the place where college graduates with proper guidance can get a moving start in applying their educational training to a successful career," Mrs. Zinser said. "We want to help graduates to find their right place in the business world," she added.

Counselors of the personnel service are geared to help college men and women to (1) bridge the gap between school and the job; (2) consult on job opportunities now available; (3) encourage creative thinking; (4) interpret new job opportunities in new industries; (5) interpret employer attitudes, and (6) discuss each student's background, personal interest, training and education for a specific job.

"We know the employers' thinking. Our assignment right now is to find the right people for the many jobs available in the business and professional fields," Mrs. Zinser said.

The Zinser Personnel Service has helped over 100,000 men and women to career opportunities since its 1922 founding. It represents over 10,000 employer-clients in the Chicago area alone, and works with many colleges and universities on the placement of their graduates.



"The Lineup" of the season's pitchers are, left to right, Albert Evers, Vernon Kalmbach, Ed Monk, Ford King and Willard Moore. All students are urged to "go out and support the team" during the continuance of the season and watch these pitchers in action.

## Cowboys Unseat Gents In Double Loss Surprise

By TOMMY HADLEY

The underrated Cowpokes of McNeese poked every pitch thrown by the Big Guns of the now rated under Centenary last Tuesday afternoon and left the Gents sitting very low in the saddle. MSC handed the Maroon and White a double loss—14-1 and 6-4. The Cowboys galloped in at one o'clock with a 3-4 record, picked up pace by three o'clock and at sunset they stampeded out of town with twenty notches on their six-shooters and a 5-4 record.

The GENTLE men of Consistency successfully increased their losing streak to five in as many attempts, all on the home field. Why? This is what the "Faithful Fifteen" of Centenary's student body wants to know. (The "Faithful Fifteen" consists of seven basketball players, six of the players' dates, the father of one of the players, and the sports editor. This is the support that the team receives.)

### Reasons for Slump

There are three broad reasons for the slump. One, the tremendous spirit of the college, i. e., the "Faithful Fifteen." Actually, very few care about the outcome of the game. This is concluded since very few come to the game. Two, the low spirit of the team. Never has one team been so quiet in the field. Three, the pitching staff and the costly errors made in both the infield and outfield. This may be attributed to a brief pre-season practice, which was not the fault of the players, and to the college administration in their laxity in granting baseball scholarships, about which more could be said.

The question now is, what is to be done to improve the record of the team? This, the "Faithful Fifteen" know. One, the student body must show the team that they do care who wins. This can be shown only by gathering up your blanket, your sun tan lotion, putting on your bermuda shorts, calling your friends and coming to the next game. Try it! Two, the infield could make a little of the talk that has made baseball so well known, and the whole team could show more unity of spirit.

Earlier last week, the Memphis State Tigers arrived as meek as lambs with an 0-2 record and roared out like lions . . . er . . . tigers, uncaged, untamed, and even — 2-2. A three run homer by Oscar Ammer to win the opener and relief pitcher Joe Hill cinching the second contest was enough for the Tigers from Tennessee to win the twins 5-3 and 6-4.

Accounting for the other loss, the Gents were victims of a ninth-inning five-run rally by La. Poly in the season's opener as the Bulldogs took the 9-5 victory. The Gents allowed only one hit in the fatal ninth but three walks and two errors proved much too costly to the locals.

## Softball Tourney Kicks Off Tuesday

Softball tournament kicks off Tuesday with two games: one between MSM and Independents and one between Chi Omega and Zeta.

All games this year will begin by 5:15 p. m. on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons and will be played on the regular baseball field or the small field by Hardin Hall. Event manager for softball is Judy Mayo.

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## Sigler Names Old, New Cage Captains at Banquet

By Tommy Hadley

Varsity Coach Orvis Sigler named Senior Billy Eubanks and Junior Jackie Crawford "old" and "new" captains of the Gent basketball squad last week at the annual banquet held by the Gents' Club. Eubanks was voted honorary captain for the Gents' past endeavor, and six-nine Jackie Crawford was named to head the quintet in the 1960-61 campaign.

It appears that the "Big Pivot" might have his hands full against next season's rugged competition, but Centenary students will see Crawford spur the Gents into defeating Texas A&M, Arkansas, TCU, The Air Force Academy, Rice, Tulane, Miami, Oklahoma City University, Loyola, Louisiana Tech and Northwestern.

Special awards were presented to Ralph Mason, as well as Eubanks and Crawford. Mason received the scholarship award for his academic average of 3.2, highest on the team, and has since been elected to the honorary fraternity ODK. His social fraternity is Kappa Alpha.

An average of 10.3 rebounds per game was high to bag a trophy for the "Pride of Grand Prairie," Jackie Crawford, and free throw shooting Captain Billy Eubanks took the other trophy home for . . . what else . . . free throw shooting, ending the season with a nice 74%.

Commissioner of Public Safety, J. Earl Downs delivered the main address and commended the Gents on their self-control and courageous determination. Letters for the 1959-60 season were awarded to Crawford, Eubanks, Mason, Ford King, John Vasilopoulos, Larry Green, Wayne Dubose, Glenn Cothern and Dale Van Bibber.

## Officer To Visit Military Group

Col. Harrison H. Finlayson, deputy director of the Department of Training Literature and Non-resident Instruction of the U. S. Army Artillery and Missile School, Fort Sill, Okla., will visit the campus ROTC unit early this month.

Lieutenant Colonel Harold M. Kennedy, Reserve Forces Section, ROTC Division, Headquarters, Fourth U. S. Army, accompanied by Major Frazier M. Conway, who is assigned to the Department of Material, U. S. Army Artillery and Missile School, will both join Col. Finlayson here.

While on campus, the colonel will confer with college officials and will inspect a review at 1:15 p. m. Monday, Apr. 4, on the baseball field. The review is open to the public.

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"Just what we need!" say this week's April Fool personalities as they begin construction on the campus's new BOYS' dorm. Barry Nelson, sophomore; Betty Turner, freshman; Gary Walters, junior, and Gail Delaney, senior, take matters into their own hands and start to work themselves on the much needed, noticeably absent boys' dorm.

## 'Spring Is Sprung'

By MAURY AND CAROL

Spring is here, and on Centenary Campus this means that four-leaf clovers are in season. Our freshman personality for the week, Betty Turner, is shooting for the championship as number one four-leaf clover finder on campus. She boasts a total of 30 in two days. Conversing with Betty during clover season is a little difficult. She is constantly leaping up in mid-conversation to grab a clover she spied half way across the lawn.

Betty lists her other favorite pastimes as fishing, water skiing, and walking. (It is exactly 1.2 miles from Betty's house to Centenary.) On campus she is a member of Zeta Tau Alpha Sorority, President of the Pep Squad, and participates in Intramurals. This coming year Betty is serving as social chairman of her sorority.

Betty has lived in the same house on the same street in the same city (Shreveport) for all of her nineteen years. "The only different thing I've ever done in my life was to spend two weeks as a beachcomber on the Atlantic ocean," says Betty. "I found all kinds of little odd things, including a monstrous turtle. I found it on the beach one night. It turned out to be a very unfriendly sea turtle because it took one of its fins and just splashed water all over me. I went home a very wet beachcomber that night."

### MEDIC-TO-BE

Lake Providence, Louisiana is the home of Gary Walters, senior personality for this week. Gary will graduate in May, and he has already been accepted by L. S. U. medical school.

Gary was on the tumbling team last year. Other than that he claims no organizational ties. He likes to hunt rats at the dump and "shag out to the hospital to see the old horrible operations." Sports of all types appeal to Gary. He also likes to argue about anything with people who have something to say.

Once when Gary was making a trip to Baton Rouge the headlights of his car went out. The night was very dark so Gary

pulled up into a side road to sleep away the night in his car. The next morning he got a little surprise when five men tapped on his window and wanted to know what he was doing in their yard.

Recently Gary had another mishap. He went to pick up a date. While he was waiting for her to answer the door, he reached down to pet her dog sitting on the steps. At the same time he reached to pet the dog, Gary stepped on the dog's foot. How many stitches did you have in your arm, Gary?

### BLACK-CLOUD BARDOT

"I think I must have a little black cloud over my head, because wherever I go the rains soon come down." This is the sad plight of Gail Delaney, junior from Shreveport. This may explain why there is so much rain on Centenary Campus since Gail spends most of her time here. She is past president of Zeta Tau Alpha Sorority, president of Panhellenic, a Ben Kinel Centenary Girl, and was a ROTC Sponsor her sophomore year. In her spare time, Gail likes to play bridge in the Sub and play golf.

Gail's most famous trademark is her car, "The Airy Ferry" which turns up in many unusual places about town. It is an old convertible with holes in the top. The holes in the top and Gail's rain clouds often cause trouble. Many of her friends on campus now call Gail Bridget. She got this nickname after the KA rush party this fall. At that party, Gail was spotlighted and presented with a magazine full of Bridget Bardot pictures.

### ACE GUY

Who is it who is a sophomore accounting major, Kappa Sigma pledge, member of the Centenary College Choir, and a real "ace guy"? He's from Shreveport, and he graduated from Byrd High School. He loves to water ski at Hodges Gardens. Who is it? Barry Nelson, of course.

Barry cannot tolerate people who are "always right even when they're wrong." About the new girls' dorm, Barry says this, "I think the new girls' dorm is nice, I can't wait 'til they build the mate to James."

When the choir was at New Iberia on mid-semester tour, Barry did a top notch blush job. As he was getting off the bus, he was inspired to hug one of the choir members, "just to give her a thrill." When he was introduced to his hostess for the evening, the first thing she said was, "You've got lipstick on your cheek."

When the choir sang at Fair Park, the school newspaper said that Barry had graduated from Fair Park. During the concert, Cheesy made a public apology to the indignant Byrd graduate. Since then, Barry's fellow choir members have called him F.P. for Fair Park.

### RETRACTION

A recent personality sketch in the *Conglomerate* quoted that "Kay (Tipton) has the brightest red hair Centenary Campus has ever seen." This statement is hereby retracted as false, after very gusty objections from Tommy Hickcox and Paula Martin.

# 'ROUND BIG C ENTENARY

By AP RIL FOOL

Jimmie Hamric and Tommy Hickcox have a date this weekend. George Acton made 22 hours of F's. Great going, George! Tanne McDade has loads of energy. What kind of pills are you taking?

Jackie Carpenter, Penny Hawkins, Jack Mulkey and Sandy Whitlock have been seen playing canasta in the SUB.

New champions were announced in the SUB this weekend: Ping pong—Nancy Dixon; bridge—Larry Madden.

Seen out on Cross Lake roasting marshmallows were some Centenaryites—Sammie Kay Smith, Bill Johnson, and Ralph Akin.

Attention: The final date has been selected as May 14 for the wedding of Mary Beth Bomar and Dub Fletcher.

Congratulations to the golf and baseball teams on their splendid sportsmanship!

Those seen at the KA coffee were George Acton, Mary Ellen Gaughan, Jay Lang, David Graham, Linda Erickson, Ann Smith, and Phoebe Volentine.

Recently seen at a Rock 'n Roll party were Lynn Woods, Laurie Kruger, Zollene Bennett, and Dr. Teagarden.

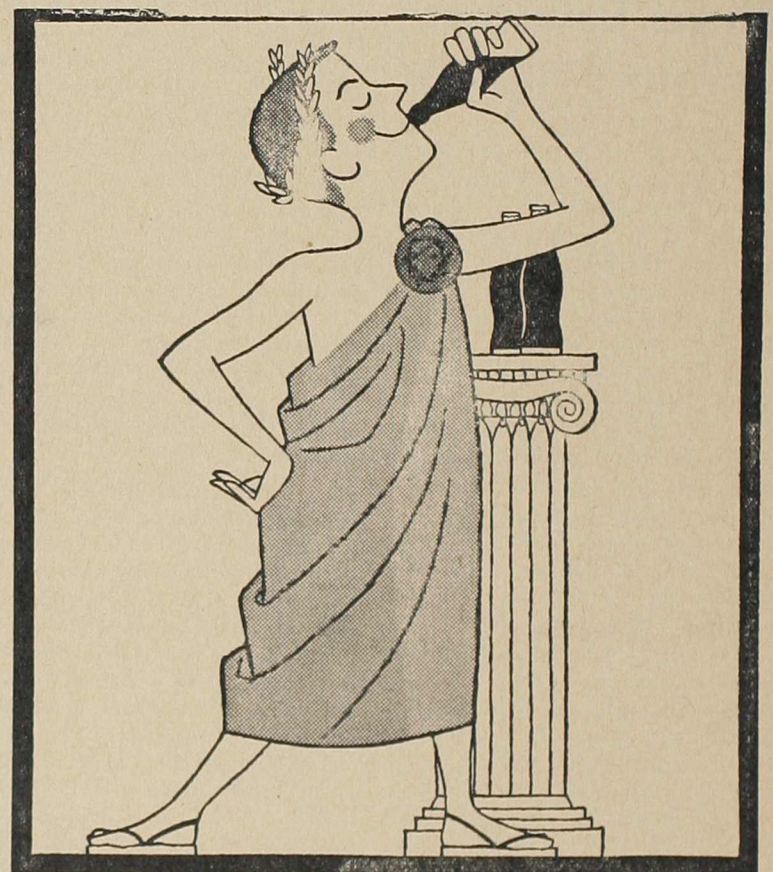
APRIL FOOL!

## Biology Club Plans For Annual Dinner

Gamma Beta Gamma, newly reorganized Centenary biology club, held its first meeting Tuesday night, March 29. E. O. Blackburn presided.

Plans were made for the annual biology club dinner which will be held Friday, April 22. After the meeting, Dr. O. P. Wilkins showed slides of a research project in which he participated during World War II.

Members of the club are Barbara Barbee, Fuller Bazer, Edward Blackburn, Harold Bounds, Martha Brown, Buddy Daily, Jim Darby, Mary Farmer, David Graham, Al Hernandez, Sara Hitchcock, Nancy Karens, David White, Jay Lang, Sherry Lester, Frank Maranto, Paul Price, Shelton Powers, Alwynelle Self, and Dr. Wilkins, faculty sponsor.



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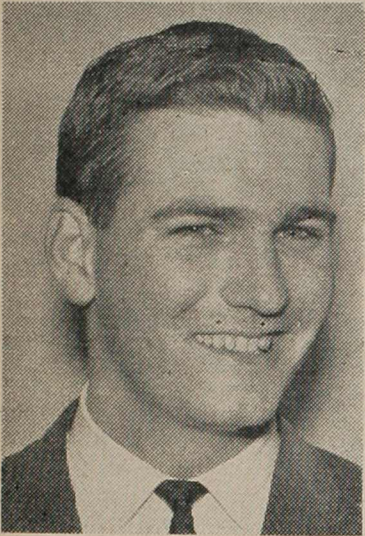


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JAY KOONCE

## Koonce's Platform:

If I am elected president of the Student Senate, I shall attempt to put into effect the following points of my platform:

1. I shall devote my energies to further strengthen student government. I shall encourage more representative government by welcoming suggestions from any member of the student body concerning objectives which he feels the Student Senate should consider.

2. I shall attempt to improve voting participation among the student body and shall do all that is in my power to secure voting machines for every major election.

3. I shall encourage more activities like the Student Fair and Mardi Gras, which are of interest to the whole student body rather than just a few campus groups. By this, I hope to encourage a campus wide feeling of personal cooperation with and concern for our fellow students devoid of all backbiting and unfriendly competition on both personal and group levels.

4. I shall endeavor to arouse a feeling of understanding between students, faculty and administration so that each will feel free to discuss problems and policy with one another making rumors and malicious criticism unnecessary and unpopular.

I sincerely feel that, with your cooperation, I would be able to fulfill the above stated platform. Because of previous offices I have held on the Student Senate, Student Affairs Committee and on other campus organizations, I feel that I am qualified to assume the duties of this office.

Jay Koonce

Overall Grade Average: 2.3

Qualifications: Freshman Class President; Sophomore Class President; Student Affairs Committee; Methodist Student Movement; Kappa Chi; Choir.

### "BUSINESS SESSIONS"

The monthly "Business Session" will feature Aaron Selber, speaking on Retailing. The meeting will be held in the Science Auditorium April 12, at 10:30 a. m. All students are invited.

## 14 Announce Candidacies For Senate Office Posts

Fourteen students have announced that they are candidates for Student Senate offices. They will deliver their campaign speeches Tuesday, April 19, at 9:40 a. m. in the Haynes Memorial Gymnasium. The election will be held Wednesday, April 20 and runoffs are scheduled for Friday, April 22.

Jay Koonce, a junior from Sulphur and Jim Daigle, a junior from Shreveport, are in the race for Student Senate President.

Candidates for the office of vice president are Ralph Mason, a junior from Selma, Ala., and Fred Schwendimann, a sophomore from Coushatta.

Anne McLaurin, a junior from Mansfield, and Linda Rosett, a junior from Shreveport, are vying for the position of coed vice president.

Two Shreveporters are running for the office of secretary, Brenda Bailey and Dollie Miller. Both are juniors.

Vying for the position of treasurer are Jim Hughes, a junior from Shreveport, and James Goins, a junior from Leesville.

Independent Representative candidates are: Sarah Liberto, a sophomore from Plaquemine; Jean Netterville, a freshman from Baton Rouge; Jack Mulkey, a junior from Shreveport; and G. B. Watson, a junior from West Monroe.

## Pate To Represent Campus at Manada

Lyndra Pate, Miss Centenary of 1959-60, will represent Centenary College at the S.M.U. Manada Festival. She was chosen by the Student Senate after they received an invitation from the S.M.U. Student Association to send one girl to the festival. This girl will serve as one of the princesses attending the Manada Queen.

Manada, which is held April 8-9, is celebrated by the students of S.M.U. as their spring holiday weekend and all Dallas attends the festivities. The schedule of events will include a dance April 8 at which the Manada Queen will be crowned and the princesses will be presented, and the carnival on April 9.

Lyndra is leaving Centenary Friday morning and will arrive at S.M.U. in time to attend a chariot race that afternoon. Friday evening she will be presented at the dance and Saturday morning there is a brunch honoring all the princesses. The climax of the weekend will be the carnival Saturday night.

Although Lyndra is only a freshman at Centenary, she has already attained many honors. Besides serving as Miss Centenary, she is an ROTC sponsor, and a Ben Kinel Centenary Girl. She is also a member of Zeta Tau Alpha sorority, the Centenary choir, and is social chairman of BSU.

Pictures, platforms, overall grade averages and qualifications for the candidates may be found throughout the paper.

Publicity for the election may be put anywhere on campus except in classrooms and in or on the Moore Student Center. No costumes, loudspeakers or stunts will be allowed on any day other than Founders' Day.

Plans for the annual Founders' Day to be held Tuesday, April 19, have been announced by Brenda Bailey, Student Senate chairman.

Founders' Day is sponsored annually by the Student Senate and is the climax of the student campaigns for senate offices for the coming year.

Gala activities are being planned by the Student Senate for Founders' day but it is not a holiday. Students will attend their first class at 7:50 and will meet with their afternoon classes.

The noon meal will be served by the cafeteria in the form of a picnic lunch at Betty Virginia Park; no lunch will be served in the cafeteria. Any town students wishing to eat the picnic lunch must purchase a meal ticket from the cafeteria before April 14. Following

## MSM Elections To Be April 10

Election of 1960-61 officers and the showing of a film are on the Methodist Student Movement program for Sunday, April 10.

A nominating committee has nominated seven people for an executive committee: Marie Nelson for president; Genevieve Compton for vice president; Don Farley for treasurer; Jean Netterville for secretary; Al Holland for program chairman; Carolyn Denison for projects chairman; and Judy Mayo for publicity chairman.

"Nominations from the floor are encouraged," said Richard Herrmann, president of MSM, at last Sunday's meeting, "but all nominees must agree to fulfill the requirements of the offices."

"The Same Old Circle" is the title of the film to be shown. It is sponsored by the Methodist Student Fellowship Fund and explains where the pledges from college organizations to the national organization go.

Sandwiches will be available at 5 p. m. Sunday for ten cents, and the program will start at 5:30 in the Religious Activities Building.

the picnic, there will be recreational facilities provided.

A dance, to be held in the Moore Student Center from 8:30 to 10:30 p. m., will climax Founders' Day. The dance is for the entire student body and the Student Senate will provide a band for the occasion.

Miss Bailey says, "A successful Founders' Day depends on the participation of each individual. We urge all students to start planning for these events now."

### Founders' Day

The schedule for Founders' day which will be April 19 is as follows:

- 7:50-9:05—Classes
- 9:40—Election speeches in the gym
- 12:00—Picnic lunch at Betty Virginia Park
- Afternoon—Recreation and classes
- 8:30-10:30—Dance in the Moore Student Center.

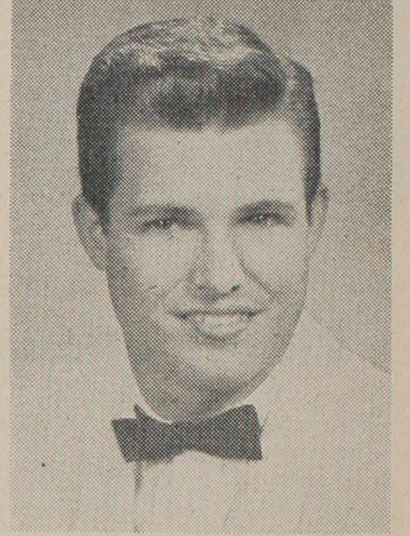
## Benfield To Speak At Baccalaureate

Dr. William A. Benfield, Jr., pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Shreveport, will preach the baccalaureate sermon this year.

The service will be conducted at 9 a. m. on Sunday, May 22, in the Brown Memorial Chapel on the local campus. Commencement ceremonies will follow in the evening in the outdoor amphitheatre.

Dr. Benfield, who has held his present position since 1958, previously served at the Beechmont Presbyterian Church and as professor of Hebrew and Old Testament at the Louisville Presbyterian Theological Seminary. He also was vice president and professor of practical theology at the seminary for five years, after which he served from 1949 to 1958 as pastor of the Highland Presbyterian Church in Louisville, Ky.

He holds degrees from Davidson College, Louisville Presbyterian Theological Seminary, Southern Baptist Theological Seminary and an honorary Doctor of Divinity degree from Davidson. He is the author or co-author of a number of works and is former editor of the Sunday School Lessons for Young People of the Presbyterian Church of the U. S. and the young people's department of the Christian Observer.



JIM DAIGLE

## Daigle's Platform:

I maintain that:

1. The powers of the Senate must be extended, broadened, and defined.

2. The Senate must be more than a social committee in order to justify its existence.

3. Certain issues should be brought before the student body for a popular vote.

4. In an ideal situation, the Senate should be the mediator between administrative and student interests.

5. Any student attending Centenary College should be allowed to draw up and introduce bills to the Senate. This would allow for a greater student participation in student government.

My platform can be summed up in two words, "Progress Unlimited." No individual or organization can continue to live unless it grows in stature. I pledge myself to this growth.

Jim Daigle

Overall Grade Average: 3.0

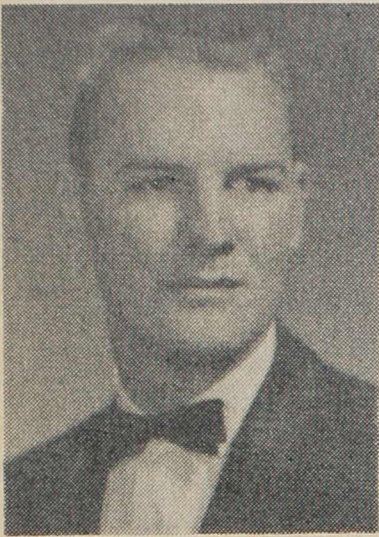
Qualifications: Omicron Delta Kappa; Kappa Sigma vice-president, pledge master, delegate to National Conclave; Newman Club; Advanced ROTC; Intramurals; Interfraternity Council; IFC Student Senate Representative; Junior Class President; Golf Team.

## English Professor Recipient of Grant

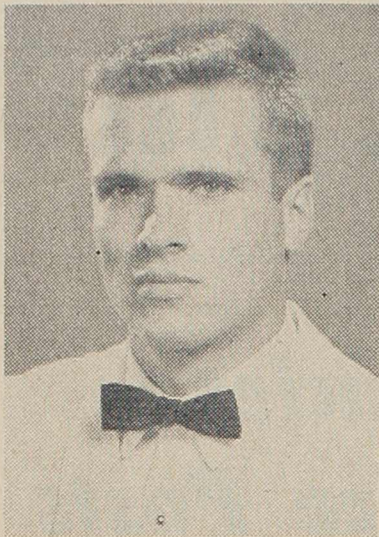
Dr. John R. Willingham, professor of English, has been awarded a \$900 grant for summer research by Centenary. This grant is from funds given the college by the Shell Companies Foundation, Inc.

Dr. Willingham will spend the summer working in conjunction with Prof. Stanley K. Coffman, associate dean of the university college of the University of Oklahoma, on a volume of essays by and about Hart Crane, the American poet. He will spend about ten days at the University of Oklahoma and the remainder of the summer at the University of Pennsylvania, whose library contains a collection of correspondence and manuscripts of the American poet.





**RALPH MASON**  
Vice-President



**FRED SCHWENDIMANN**  
Vice-President

## Vice-President Platforms

1. Stimulate more student interest in Centenary intercollegiate athletics and other school functions which promote a spirit of unity among the student body.
2. Continue the effort to bring a well-known group or individual from the world of entertainment to our campus. This would surely foster better spirit.
3. Promote better relations between all groups on campus.
4. Devote all my energy to further strengthen Student Government. An effort should be made to improve the prestige of the Student Senate in the eyes of the students.
5. Keep the student body informed in order to curtail the waves of rumors on our campus.
6. Make an effort to improve voting participations among the student body and improve the conditions which precede all Centenary elections.
7. I pledge myself to carry out the responsibilities of this office to the best of my ability with the desires of the student body always in mind.

**Ralph Mason**

**Overall Grade Average: 3.0**

**Qualifications:** Kappa Alpha—president, vice-president; Freshman, Sophomore, Junior Class Favorite; Omicron Delta Kappa; Basketball letterman; Intramurals; Intramural Council; Rotary Hall President.

It will be my purpose as vice-president of the Student Senate to help the Senate to realize its great potential in campus leadership. I will see to it that its work is done efficiently, with the best interests of the student body in mind. Especially will I attempt to organize the student body elections in such a way that voting may be completed in the most efficient manner. I will help to foster the best possible faculty-student-administration relations on the campus. I believe that the Student Senate can become a true legislative body, therefore, I pledge myself to do my utmost in extending the powers of the Senate so that the student body will be able to gain full benefit from its student government. I believe that under the direction of the Student Senate, the student body of Centenary will be able to make progress unlimited in future years.

**Fred Schwendimann**

**Overall Grade Average: 3.8**

**Qualifications:** Freshman Class President; Student Senate 1958-59; Kappa Sigma, pledgemaster; Kappa Chi, projects chairman; Alpha Sigma Pi, president; Rotary Hall Secretary; Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia, treasurer; Outstanding Freshman Cadet Award, ROTC; National Methodist Scholarship; Methodist Student Movement; Choir; Intramurals.

## Hyde Presents Recital

Miss Barbara Ann Hyde, lyric soprano, will present her Senior Voice Recital in the Music School Auditorium on Tuesday, April 12, at 7:00 p. m. She is the student of Mrs. Bert Dueringer.

### PROGRAM

Arietta: Amor Commanda from "Floridante".....	Handel
Se Florindo e Fedele.....	Scarlatti
Care Selve.....	Handel
Der Nussbaum.....	Schumann
Standchen.....	Brahms
Wohin?.....	Schubert
Aria: Ach, ich Fuhl's from "Die Zauberflote".....	Mozart
L'enfant et les Sortilèges.....	Ravel-Colette
Les Berceaux.....	Faure
Villanelle.....	Dell Acqua
Clouds.....	Charles
House on a Hill.....	Charles
Swans.....	Kramer
April.....	Sodero

## Corey To Assume Department Duties

Orlin Russell Corey has been appointed to the position of head of the department of speech and drama at Centenary.

Dr. Joe J. Mickle, president, said Corey, who has been serving as director of plays for the Kentucky Mountain Theatre Assn., will assume his new duties in September. He will succeed Joseph Gifford, who resigned effective at the conclusion of the current year. Dr. Mickle said Gifford will remain as director of the Summer Theater this summer.

Corey, who will hold the rank of associate professor of speech and drama, holds the BA and MA degrees from Baylor University, Waco, Tex., where he was vice president of the Baylor Theatre Group and secretary of Alpha Psi Omega, honorary dramatic fraternity. He spent one summer at the Baylor Arts School in Paris and also has had advanced training at the Central School of Speech and Drama in London, England and at the University of London. He has done work toward his PhD at the University of Kentucky in Lexington.

### Former City Director

Former city-wide director of church drama for the Baptist churches in Waco, Corey also directed drama and the Baptist Training Union there. He was assistant professor of speech and technical director for the drama department at Georgetown College, Georgetown, Ky., for seven years, later being promoted to the rank of associate professor.

The author of numerous articles, Corey prepared a dramatic adaptation of the Biblical "Book of Job," which was chosen by the International Protestant Committee to represent American Protestant churches at the Brussels World's Fair in 1958 and which was toured in Europe and Canada. The production also was invited for a performance at the 1958 Southern Governor's Conference, and, as a result, was produced in a natural mountain setting by the Kentucky Mountain Theatre Assn., which also will also produce it this summer.

### Comes with "Rec"

Corey will come to Centenary with the personal recommendation of the well-known director, Paul Baker. Corey held a drama scholarship at Baylor University from 1948 to 1950 and won the Playwriting Award of the Southern Literary Festival in 1950. He is a member of many professional organizations, among them the American Educational Theatre Association, the Kentucky Assn. of Theaters, the Speech Assn. of America and the Religious Drama Commission.

## Davidson Receives Honorary Degree

Mr. Bryant Davidson, head of the history department, will receive an honorary doctor of laws degree from Hendrix College at commencement exercises May 29.

Davidson, a native Arkansan, graduated from Hendrix in 1925 as an honor graduate and has been a member of the Centenary faculty since 1928.



**ANNE MCLAURIN**  
Coed Vice-President



**LINDA ROSETT**  
Coed Vice-President

## Coed Vice-President Platforms

In the past three years, candidates have presented platforms to the students at Centenary which contained plans and changes they hoped to accomplish if elected to office. This year I am not presenting a platform of changes, because most of these suggestions would be impossible. All of us know that we can try to get voting machines, but there is no guarantee that we can get them. We can try to improve parking facilities, but we cannot guarantee a new parking lot. The list could go on for pages. The point is that, as students, many of these proposed changes are out of our hands.

I do believe that administration-faculty-student relations can always be improved. This is in progress now, and next year I believe the Student Senate can be the link between these groups. We need to have a way of exchanging views with the faculty — which can be accomplished through the medium of Student Senate committees.

More important than modern promises, I believe, is that the candidate pledge himself to support the policies of the school, serve earnestly and diligently in the office to which he is elected, and represent his school in the best way that he can at all times. As co-ed vice-president, I would pledge myself to these responsibilities.

**Anne McLaurin**

**Overall Grade Average: 2.8**

**Qualifications:** Junior Class Vice-President; Sophomore Class Secretary; Chi Omega vice-president, personnel chairman; Honor Court Alternate; Cen-coe; Mardi Gras Court, gym team sweetheart; Beauty, first runner-up to Miss Centenary; National Education Association; Intramurals.

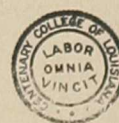
The office of Coed Vice-President of the Student Senate is one of representation of all members of the student body. The person who holds this position is one who serves the Senate, not by having a specific platform, but by having a spirit of cooperation and a willingness to help strengthen the relations of the students to the Student Senate.

As Coed Vice-President, I will endeavor to encourage the interest and participation of all members of the student body in every phase of campus activities. Because of my participation in various organizations which offer opportunities for association with students of many varied interests, I believe that I am qualified to represent the student body in this office.

**Linda Rosett**

**Overall Grade Average: 3.0**

**Qualifications:** Junior Class Favorite; Pershing Rifles Sponsor; Calendar Chairman; Zeta Tau Alpha treasurer, president; Phi Beta; Choir; Beauty.



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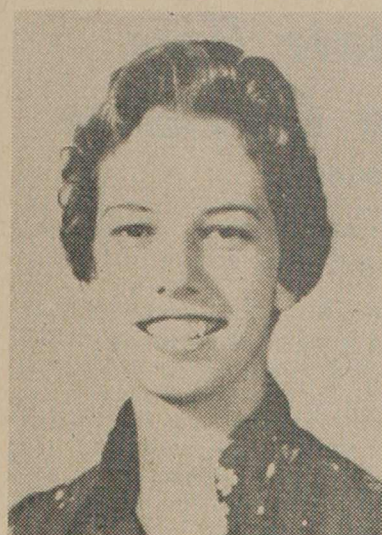
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**SARAH LIBERTO**  
Independent Representative



**JEAN NETTERVILLE**  
Independent Representative

## Independent Representative Platforms

What should an independent representative be? Obviously, she should be a person chosen by the independent students to represent them on the Student Senate, and she should make herself aware of their opinions concerning campus issues. But she should be more than simply a spokesman for a certain faction of students, more than one who wants only to protect the interests of her group, for while she is a member of the senate, her actions may influence the entire student body. She should be a person who will work with the other Senate members to create a greater feeling of unity on the campus, to encourage the participation of all students in campus activities, and to initiate the movement for campus improvements, both social and physical.

As a candidate for the office of Women's Independent Representative, I shall make but one promise: if I am elected, I will strive to serve you, the students of Centenary College, in the manner that I have described.

**Sarah Liberto**

**Overall Grade Average: 4.0**

**Qualifications:** Aulait—president; Alpha Chi Outstanding Freshman Award; Alpha Sigma Pi—secretary-treasurer; Alpha Sigma Chi; Methodist Student Movement; **Conglomerate** staff.

I, Jean Netterville, wish to submit the following as my platform for candidacy for Independent Representative on the Student Senate.

I resolve to work for securing a Big Name Band for a Dance for the Student Body.

I resolve to work for continuing the activities in the Student Center, such as ping pong, pool, dances, and picture shows.

I resolve to work for the expansion of the Student Fair.

I resolve to work for continuing the improvements on the grounds.

I am in favor of getting a new boys' dorm *toute de suite*.

I resolve to represent the Independents on the Student Senate by voicing their opinions and views to the Senate.

I further resolve to cooperate with other members of the Student Senate in carrying out the plans and projects formulated by them.

**Jean Netterville**

**Overall Grade Average: 3.4**

**Qualifications:** Dormitory Council, Freshman Representative; M. S. M.; Kappa Chi; Intramurals; Freshman Follies; National Methodist Scholarship.

As candidate for the position of Independent Representative to the Student Senate, I find myself in the somewhat awkward position of pointing out my qualifications and giving you a list of all the many things I intend to do if elected. My success as a political writer or speaker would probably lie in my ability to be as vague as possible on all things, or to take a definite position on any matter which will come before the Senate next year. By the very nature of the office for which I am running, I should receive a high score for vagueness—in fact, it would seem to be superlatively vague—but I find it impossible to give definite answers on questions that have yet to be brought up, or to make a list of exciting promises which I cannot possibly keep. I am left, therefore, with only one promise,—to function to the best of my ability as an integral member of your Student Senate and to see that the Independent Voice receives a fair hearing. I only hope that you, the voter, will give me this opportunity.

**Jack Mulkey**

**Overall Grade Average: 3.0**

**Qualifications:** Yoncopin Staff, Phi Sigma Iota, Recipient of the French Award, Active in Playhouse productions.

I desire to be elected Independent Representative, because the independents should be represented on the Student Senate by someone who will work and vote for the best interests of Centenary College, and not some group on campus. This I will do. I cannot predict what issues will confront us next year, but I will attempt to analyze them objectively, and seek solutions through cooperation with the other Senate members and students. I will support through liberal thinking and positive action measures which encourage campus unity, and develop student potentiality.

**G. B. Watson**

**Overall Grade Average: 2.9**

**Qualifications:** Methodist Student Movement Program Chairman; Chapel Committee; Rotary Hall Secretary-Treasurer; Alpha Phi Omega (service fraternity); also . . . desire and enthusiasm.

## Senate Accepts Bill For Council

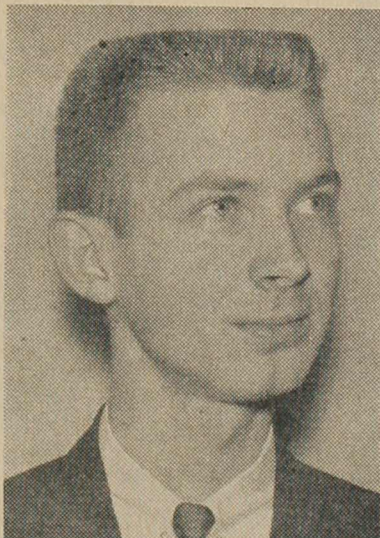
There shall be a Student Center Council composed of members from all recognized campus organizations, according to Dub Fletcher, president.

The following points were passed by the Student Senate, Wednesday, April 6, in regard to the council: (1) the SCC will work in conjunction with the Student Senate on functions concerning the Moore Student Center; (2) the Council would elect their chairman, co-chairman and secretary from the group; (3) the Student Senate Advisor would automatically be on the Council plus three other faculty member advisors; (4) the Student Senate as a campus organization would have a representative to the Council. (This representative would be the liaison between the Council and the Senate); (5) the Council would purchase records, publicize and decorate for dances held in the Student Center plus planning other activities for the center, (6) the Council would meet regularly two times a month; and, (7) classes would be represented by the vice-president of the class.

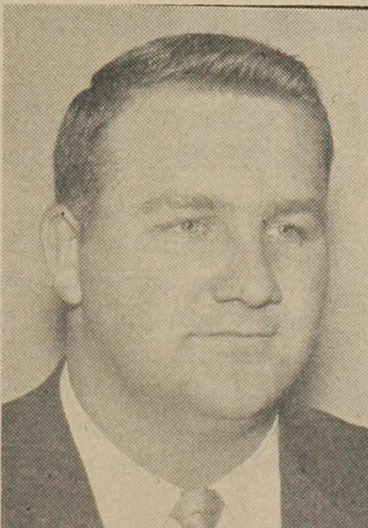
## Phi Beta Pledges 7 New Members

Phi Beta fraternity pledged seven girls in a ceremony at the home of Betty Jo Towery on Tuesday evening, March 15. Presiding over the ceremony was Edith Elliot, president, assisted by Ruth Velotta.

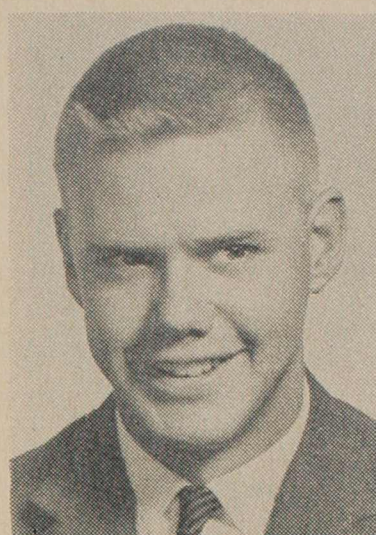
The new pledges are Myrna Collier, Alice Ruth Herrington, Joan Hilburn, Grace Jackson, Barbara Lyles and Lynn Woods. Mrs. Lalia Hurst White was pledged as an associate member.



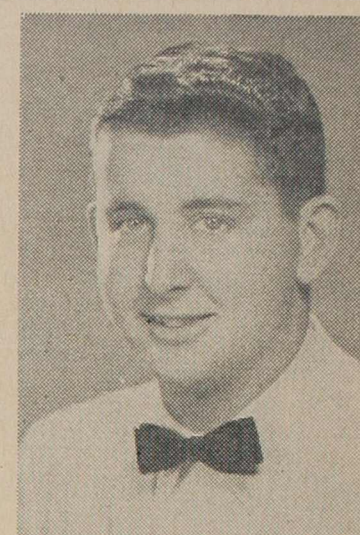
**JACK MULKEY**  
Independent Representative



**G. B. WATSON**  
Independent Representative



**JIM HUGHES**  
Treasurer



**JAMES GOINS**  
Treasurer

## Platforms for Treasurer

It is my purpose in running for the position of treasurer of the Student Senate to help make "your" student government a vital and dynamic part of this college. I pledge to represent all the students and to make myself a useful and constructive part of this organization.

I sincerely believe that administration-student relationships can be better harmonized to create a spirit of cooperation and progress. I will seek to improve these relationships by cooperating myself and urging others to cooperate.

I pledge to uphold the duties and obligations that the office of treasurer carries with it and to promote the welfare of the students in all matters concerning them.

**James M. Goins**

**Overall Grade Average: 2.3**

**Qualifications:** Choir (Treasurer); Yoncopin staff; Kappa Sigma—house manager; Advanced ROTC; Rotary Hall Proctor; Intramurals.

- One of the main purposes of the Student Senate is to inform the student body of all school functions. I believe that the student body could be better informed by a weekly publication of the student activities calendar in the **Conglomerate**. Announcements of elections and election regulations should be presented in the **Conglomerate** at least one week prior to the time of voting.
- Emphasize and promote interest in such activities as the Freshman Follies for the purpose of raising money to be used for dances after basketball games and for the purpose of bringing big name bands to Centenary.
- Stimulate interest in Student Center activities.
- Create greater cooperation between students, faculty and between campus organizations. Competitive spirit is fine, but let's all work together for the betterment of Centenary.

**Jim Hughes**

**Overall Grade Average: 2.5**

**Qualifications:** Kappa Alpha — financial committee; Intrafraternity Council; Golf Team.

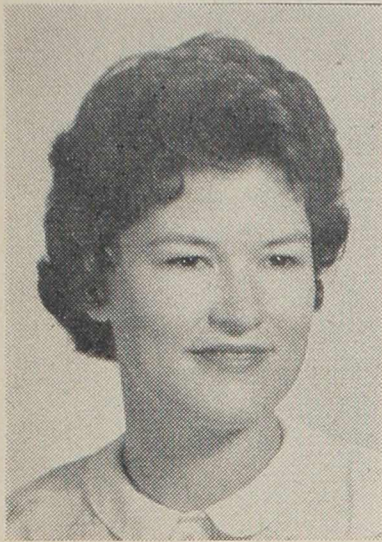
## it's just a hop, skip and jump to Easter...

But there's still time for you to open a STUDENT CHARGE ACCOUNT at Selber's. The payments are arranged to suit your allowance and you alone are responsible and sole owner of your account even though your parents' approval is necessary. Plan now to replenish your spring and summer wardrobe with your own "SCA."

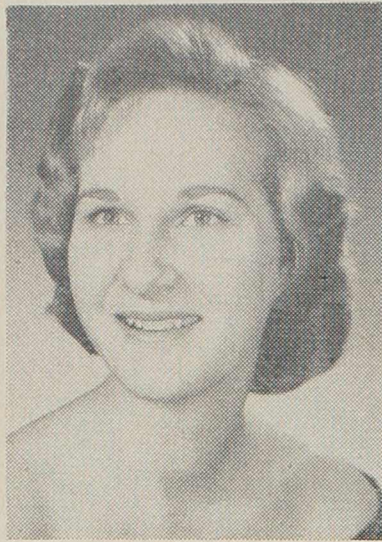


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**BRENDA BAILEY**  
Secretary



**DOLLIE MILLER**  
Secretary

## Secretary Platforms

Why do we have a Student Senate? Just what does the Senate do anyway? You have probably heard these questions asked or perhaps they have gone through your mind.

The Student Senate is responsible for many various activities: Freshman Orientation; the conducting of all elections; Gents' Day; Student Fair; Founders' Day and Homecoming. These are just some of the big events of the Student Senate, but they are responsible for pep rallies, sock hops and other similar activities.

Besides activities they work to (1) improve Faculty-Student relations, (2) stimulate student interest, and (3) continue improvement of student government.

Most important of all, the Student Senate represents YOU, the Student Body. It is your voice in Student Government. You therefore have an obligation to fulfill and that is to vote on the candidates you feel most qualified.

If elected secretary of the Student Senate, I shall aim for more representative government by welcoming suggestions from any member of the student body concerning objectives which he feels the Student Senate should consider. Each year promises are made but I do not feel it is my place to list promises if I could not be assured they could be carried out. All I can promise with assurance is to work diligently with the other members of the Student Senate and to carry out my responsibilities with the interest of the Whole Student Body in mind.

**Brenda Bailey**

**Overall Grade Average: 2.9**

**Qualifications:** Freshman Favorite; Chi Omega—pledge trainer, rush chairman, pledge class president, best pledge; Pan-Hellenic—co-chairman of retreat; Student Senate Representative; Cencoe; Intramurals; Founders' Day Chairman.

I shall fulfill the duties of secretary to the best of my ability. To avoid unnecessary delay to the business of the Senate, I will see that all minutes, reports, and letters are promptly released. It will be my duty and pleasure to serve you, the student body, by publishing the Senate minutes in the **Conglomerate**. This, I hope, will not be the only way in which I may maintain contact between you and your Senate. As your representative, I will seek to discover your opinions and to be your voice in all matters.

**Dollie Miller**

**Overall Grade Average: 2.9**

**Qualifications:** Conglomerate staff; Zeta Tau Alpha.

### EASTER HOLIDAY

Classes will end at 10:00 p. m. Thursday night, April 14, and will not resume until 7:50 a. m. Monday morning, April 18.

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## Emerich Joins State Race As Republican Candidate

By SANDY WHITLOCK

Dr. Donald W. Emerich, associate professor of Chemistry at Centenary, has recently announced his candidacy on the Republican ticket for the office of State Superintendent of Education.

Among the reasons for his presenting himself as a Republican candidate, Dr. Emerich expressed a definite concern for the present one-party system existing in Louisiana. He noted that the present incumbent in the office for which he is seeking, had no opposition whatsoever on the Democratic ticket, as well as the Republican ticket. In his words,

Dr. Emerich went on to say that elections under a one-party system become a choice between personalities and not a choice between party principles. Ideas, some Democratic, some non-Democratic, both become incorporated as Democratic under a one-party system.

### Split Ticket Possible

Dr. Emerich also states, "Many people are unaware that they have the right to split a ticket in the general election. They regard it as just another primary election in which they are required to vote for the party with which they are registered. The Republican Party must start representing candidates and inform the people of their right to vote either way they choose."

The Republicans in this election have adopted the attitude of rebels, Dr. Emerich says. This attitude is

reflected in the Confederate Flag appearing on all campaign buttons used by Colonel Francis Grevenberg, the Republican candidate for governor of Louisiana. Republicans are standing in opposition to: (1) the one-party system; (2) a lack of fiscal responsibility in the Democratic party; and (3) a lack of a recognized set of party principles in the Democratic party.

### Points For Improvement

If elected, Dr. Emerich believes the system of public education can be improved by: (1) revising the certification requirements of teachers, particularly high school teachers; (2) revising the program of high school training with a limited curriculum offered, giving the student less of a choice of extraneous courses now offered; (3) provide means of retaining and attracting teachers well-trained in fundamental subjects by offering additional compensations for teachers based on hours of training and strengthening the hand of the teacher in matters of discipline; and (4) revising the constitution, if necessary, to provide for progressive penalties leading toward expulsion of unruly, uninterested students.

### NEW ENGLAND TRIP

Mrs. Melvin Johnson, Jr., is looking for a young person to accompany her one-way to New England the first of August. She will give a free ride plus small remuneration beyond trip expenses in return for help in driving and caring for her three children. Apply in writing to Mrs. Johnson, 5831 Lexington, Shreveport, La.

## Student To Work In South Africa

Miss Marie Nelson, Louisiana Conference Methodist Youth Fellowship President, has been accepted to an Ecumenical Work Camp in the Union of South Africa for this summer. She will be working with other young people representing several races, nationalities, and creeds.



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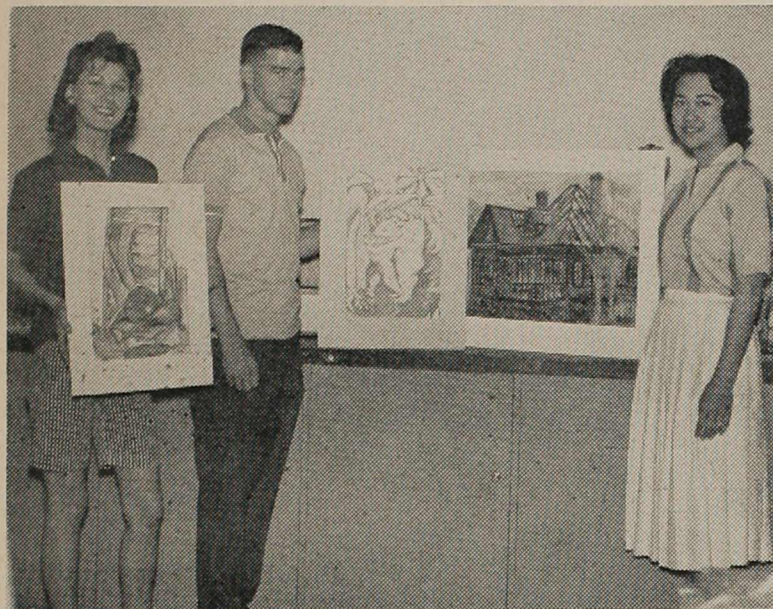


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Displaying a few of their samples to be exhibited in an art show in the Student Center from April 30 to May 15 are Linda Sue Brown, Joe Sartor and Marolyn Toynomon.

## Art Exhibit Feature Of Holiday In Dixie

Saturday, April 30, the second student art exhibit of the year will open at 2:00 p. m. in the Moore Student Center. This exhibit of spring semester work done both as a part of classroom studies and of outside projects will be held in conjunction with the Holiday in Dixie program. The exhibit is scheduled to run through May 15.

The newly - organized Gamma Omicron chapter of the Kappa Pi Art Fraternity will hold a reception beginning at 4:30 p.m., Saturday. During the reception, a brass choir are from the Shreveport Symphony will play. Members of the choir are Linda Stone, John Rich-ey, Lyda Beasley, Bill Scarlotta, and David Swanzy. They will play the following selections: "The Ewald Symphony for Brass," Pet-zel's "Three Pieces," Bach's "Con-trapunctus No. 1," and Sanders' "Symphony for Brass."

The media in which the students have worked will include oil, water-color, casein, gouache, pastel, pencil, pen and ink, crayon, and woodcut.

Those students exhibiting are Linda Erickson, Cathie Franklin, Becky Graham, Louise Ibrahim, Mitzi Kleinhans, Amy Matthews, Anne McClure, Ann Morrisette, Gerry Rawlinson, Carole Van Hoose, and Kay Woodruff.

Also, Martha Kelley, Mary Gay-er, Susan Nethery, Crystal Ranney, Wayne Woodward, Linda Sue Brown, Mary Margaret Farmer, Joe Sartor, Frankie Lachle, Marolyn Toynomon, and Cynthia Weaver.

## Two Professors Attend Convention

Dr. Mary Wartens, head of the biology department, and Dr. Otha King Miles, professor of psychology and education, attended the annual convention of the Assn. of South-eastern Biologists April 21-23.

The program which took place on the campus of Loyola University in New Orleans, included lectures, discussions and demonstrations.

## Martha Dickens Presents Recital

Miss Martha Dickens, a senior voice student in the school of music, presented a voice recital Tuesday, April 26, at 8:15 p.m. in the Brown Memorial Chapel. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dickens of Magnolia, Ark.

Miss Dickens, soprano, is a pupil of Monas Harlan, associate professor of voice and presented the recital in partial fulfilment of requirements for the Bachelor of Music degree. Ned Boagni, also a music student, accompanied her on the piano.

The Centenary senior serves as historian of Phi Beta, honorary music and speech fraternity, and is a member of Alpha Sigma Pi, honorary scholastic organization. She has been active in the Shreveport Civic Opera Chorus and the Opera Workshop. Miss Dickens was Magnolia's official entry in the Miss Arkansas Pageant held last summer in Hot Springs, Ark.

Miss Dickens sang the following works at her recital: "Laudamus te" from "Mass in B Minor," Bach; "Se tu della mia morte," Scarlatti; "Le Violette," Scarlatti; "Ruhe sanft," from "Zaide," Mozart; "Liebesbotschaft" from "Schwanengesang," Schubert; "Mondnacht" and "Auftrag," Schumann; "Isi-bas," "Mandoline" and "Fleur jettee," all by Faure; "The Lemon-Colored Dodo," Mopper; "The Greatest Man," "Ann Street" and "General William Booth Enters Heaven," all by Ives; "Stornello," Verdi; "Passo e non tu vedo," Masetti, and "Clavelitos," Valverde.

## Songsters To Vie For Sing Trophy

The fifth annual Spring Sing sponsored by Alpha Xi Delta will be held on Tuesday, May 3, at 5:30 p.m. in the Student Center. All groups on campus have been invited and urged to enter so that this year's program can be even better than last year's. The present trophy has been won by the following groups: 1956—Zeta Tau Alpha; 1957—Chi Omega; 1958—Methodist Student Movement; 1959—Kappa Sigma.

The trophy is to be retired by the group having won it the most times at the end of the five year period. If one of the above groups wins again this year, that group will gain permanent possession of the trophy. However, if a group other than one of these four wins the Sing this year, the trophy will not be retired for one year more, and in the Spring of 1961 a sing-off will be held among the five to determine the winner of the cup.

The Spring Sing regulations include these stipulations: (1) The maximum number of participants (including singers and accompanist) shall be twenty. The minimum number of singers shall be five; (2) Each group's presentation time will be ten minutes; (3) Three judges will be chosen by Alpha Xi Delta; (4) Any student organization of the Centenary campus may enter; (5) Any regularly enrolled student who is a present member of the organization may participate.

Everyone is invited to attend the 1960 Spring Sing.

## Student Election Lists Jim Daigle To Head Senate

Jim Daigle, junior from Shreveport, was elected by the student body Wednesday, April 20, in a campus wide election to serve as president of the Student Senate for 1960-61.

Also elected to serve with Daigle were the following: Ralph Mason, Selma, Ala., vice-president; Anne McLaurin, Mansfield, co-ed vice-president; Brenda Bailey, Shreveport, secretary; James Goins, Leesville, treasurer; and G. B. Watson, West Monroe, and Jean Netteville, Baton Rouge, independent representatives for males and females.

The balloting was made Wednesday after election speeches in chapel on Tuesday, April 19. The speeches were followed with a picnic commemorating the annual Founders' Day in Betty Virginia Park.

Also vying for positions in the Senate but defeated, were the following candidates: Jay Koonce, Sulphur; Fred Schwendemann, Coushatta; Linda Rosett, Shreveport; Dollie Miller, Shreveport; Jim Hughes, Shreveport; Jack Mulkey, Shreveport; and Sarah Liberto, Plaquemine.



Members of the seceding state of Kappa Alpha are bewhiskered Ralph Akin, Bill Johnson, Bob Moore and Dan Herndon. Their charming Southern Belles are Sally Herring, Sammie Kay Smith, Faye Cox and Noni Miller.

## Kappa Alphas Relive Days of Old South

By HEARNE and GWINN

The month of April is graced with the greatest event of the Centenary school year, the Kappa Alpha Old South Ball.

On the weekend of April 30, the clocks are turned back to the days of gracious living in the Ante-Bellum South. Members of the Kappa Alpha Order relive the days of the old and proud South with lawn parties and Mint Juleps.

## College Leaders Attend Conference

Dr. Joe J. Mickle, Dean Leroy Vogel and Paul M. Brown attended the 1960 Pre-Legislative Conference which opened Tuesday, April 26, at the Capitol House Hotel in Baton Rouge and extended through Thursday.

Dr. Mickle, president of the college, is a member of the steering committee. Brown, chairman of the Centenary Board of Trustees, is chairman of the committee and spoke on the Conference goals at the breakfast session Tuesday. Brown also presided at the banquet Tuesday evening, where Governor-Elect Jimmie H. Davis was the principal speaker.

Dr. Mickle presided at the noon luncheon meeting Tuesday and the guest speaker at this event was Dr. John F. Sly, professor of politics at Princeton University.

Centenary College is among the sponsors of the Conference. Also sponsoring the program are the Public Affairs Research Council of Louisiana, Loyola University of the South in New Orleans, and Louisiana College at Pineville. A grant of \$22,000 from the Ford Foundation, Inc., helped to finance the program, and the PAR bore the remainder of the costs.

### YONCOPINS

All persons who have not received their Yoncops by this afternoon may pick their year-books up in the business office. Those who have not paid, will receive their books upon receipt of their balance.

On April 28 at 5:30 p.m. the young ladies being honored by the members of Kappa Alpha Order received their invitation on the lawn of James Dormitory. The Southern Gentlemen and their ladies will attend the Ball tonight from 9:00 until midnight in the Student Union Building.

Tomorrow afternoon at 2:00 p.m. Secession Ceremonies will be held at the Kappa Alpha House with the Lawn Party following at Greenacres from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. The climax of the weekend will be a buffet supper at the Kappa Alpha House with an informal dance to follow.

With the conclusion of these ceremonies the calendar will then return to 1960, until next year, leaving behind fond memories of the Ante-Bellum South.

## Pep Squad Elects 1960-61 Officers

At the meeting of the Pep Squad on April 26, the business consisted of the election of officers for this coming year, 1960-61. A nominating committee presented the following as candidates for office: Judy Rhodes, president; Patsy West, vice-president; Fran Lorient, secretary; and Louella Bains, treasurer.

Each one of these nominees was accepted by acclamation.

The newly elected executive committee is planning to draw up a constitution for its members for the forthcoming year.

FORGIVENESS DAY, MAY 9



## JAY'S COLUM

Welcome once more to another monthly issue of the **Conglomerate**.

Well, the popularity contests are over and all concerned can return to their normal disposition. I'm looking forward to a "year of progress" and am anxious to learn what effect extroverted leadership will have on the Senate.

I had wrote myself a note to comment on the capabilities of certain ROTC staff members as instructors of college level students, but then I seen that it probably would of been censored so I decided not to.

Ask Kenneth H. why he is campaigning to have large, obvious signs painted on all Science Building lounge doors.

Only last week did I notice a red lamp glowing outside our enterprising little bookstore. Just what gives, gang?

Attention all clods: Believe it or not, there are ash trays in the SUB. Use them and at least pretend to care.

D. H. Lawrence Fan Club meets Thursday evening at seven. Only members invited.

From the box: Two complaints (this is unusual) about metal objects in the food again. For the sake of our digestive system let's be more careful over on Food Hill.

A request for new softballs for intramurals. The two old ones are described as "mushrooms."

Only three notes this time suggesting unfriendly attitudes toward me. Bob D. (complete name underscored several times) writes: "Why not do something constructive like SHUTTING UP!" My reply: Why not do something constructive like SPEAKING UP!

Cheers to Dr. Teagarden for making the student body laugh at itself.

Congratulations to the **Yoncopin** staff for producing an excellent annual. Don't you agree?

Movie to be missed at all costs: Jerry Lewis in "Visit to a Small Planet." Gore Vidal would turn over in his grave if he were dead.

Movie to see: "Porgy and Bess." It has a few bad spots, but few they are, and are far outweighed by the great music, wonderful voices and the beautiful photography.

I have found no one this week worthy of being mentioned as a "People of the Week."

Topic for next week: Segregation! Everyone, especially faculty members, are asked to express their views on this subject. They need not be signed if you prefer, names are rarely printed anyway.

JAY

I feel a note of explanation, addition or apology is required after the above "column." First of all, the opening statement may be humorous, but is rather unjust. A **CONGLOMERATE** was not put out last week due to last minute difficulties of every imaginable kind (photographic, editorial, reportorial, and "columnial.") I apologize for the campus' deprivation, but at least it is consoling to know that an issue **IS MISSED!** After all, criticism is better than no comment at all.

Further, I feel that the Student Senate, the candidates and the entire student body deserve some commendation for the recent campus body election. All campaigns were carried on in a praiseworthy manner and it was refreshing to see the old "strained election feelings" were definitely weakened this year. I think it admirable that qualifications were stressed in this election, rather than popularity.

One last personal statement: It's about time that someone on this campus offer some bit of praise or recognition (however slight) to the cafeteria and the snack bar. The ladies working in both places have tried their very best to offer efficient and friendly service and have received nothing but public criticism in return. I commend Mrs. Hudgins, Mrs. Matthews and Bessie (as well as all others working in the cafeteria and snack bar) for a sincere effort and a creditable — and appreciated — job!

P. S.

## Editorial Notice!

Any person interested in applying for the position of editor of the **Conglomerate** or **Yoncopin** for next year should apply in writing (via letter of application) to the Publications committee as soon as possible. These letters should be directed to Mrs. Margaret McDonald in the administration building and should include information of past experience and knowledge applicable to the desired position, as well as grade statements.

P. S.

## Praise: Lost Art!

This week's letters, the letters all year long and a large number of student remarks have led me to the following question: "Why are campus remarks limited to expressions of criticism, disgust or cynicism?"

I think the **Yoncopin** was very good. I think the service in the snack bar is very good. I think the **Conglomerates** have been relatively good (at least, a vast amount of effort and interest has been put into them from two or three sources). I think the elections were carried on well, etc., etc., etc.

I may be an incurable optimist, but I can find some things to praise. It must be a dreary life indeed for those people who cannot find anything to commend, but are doomed to spend their days with gripes, cranks, criticism and sarcasm.

It might be well for those persons with so many criticisms, etc., to try doing some of the work themselves. Next week, there will be a special six-page **Conglomerate**. This will require an extra load of work — why not help?

P. S.

## Alpha Xi Deltas Attend Convention

Eight members of Alpha Xi Delta left Centenary College at 6:30 a.m. Thursday, April 21, for Daytona Beach, Fla., to attend the biennial Province Convention including the states of Louisiana, Alabama, Mississippi, and Florida. Arriving at Daytona Beach around 10:30 a.m., they registered at the Daytona Plaza Hotel which overlooks the ocean.

Centenary delegate to the Convention was Judy Hebert, president of the campus chapter, and alternate delegate was Donna Howell. Others in the party were LaVerne Burks, Martha Kelley, Roxie Lewis, Pheribee Monroe, Rosalind Verduzco, and Sharon Victory, alumna delegate.

The Convention began Friday night with a "Fun-Doodling" Party which included singing and a variety of skits presented by the various chapters attending the Convention. Saturday began with a business meeting, followed by a combined roundtable discussion on public relations.

Lunch was served and a fashion show was presented on the terrace of the Daytona Plaza Hotel. During the afternoon, separate alumni and active chapter meetings were held on the subjects of membership and unity.

The delegates were free to tour the Beach via the beach train or spend the time swimming at the beach that afternoon and evening.

Saturday evening the Rose Banquet was held, at which Dr. John E. Johns, Professor of History at Stetson University in Deland, Fla., spoke. Awards were presented and Alpha Xi Delta at Centenary College was awarded the Achievement Tray for improvement in chapter efficiency. The presentation of the tray is based on a national point system.

The Centenary delegates left Daytona Beach Sunday morning and drove back to Shreveport, arriving Sunday night at 11:30 p.m.

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A college of liberal arts—  
Showing such liberal hearts—!  
Was it pearly white teeth, or  
pamphlets by mail?  
What ever the reason, one last long  
wail—

Heavens above, we've done gone  
and went

And elected a Catholic president!  
(The Kappa Sig's treasury is spent)

"SILENT SAM" WOODWARD

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## Centenary Baptists Hold Spring Meet

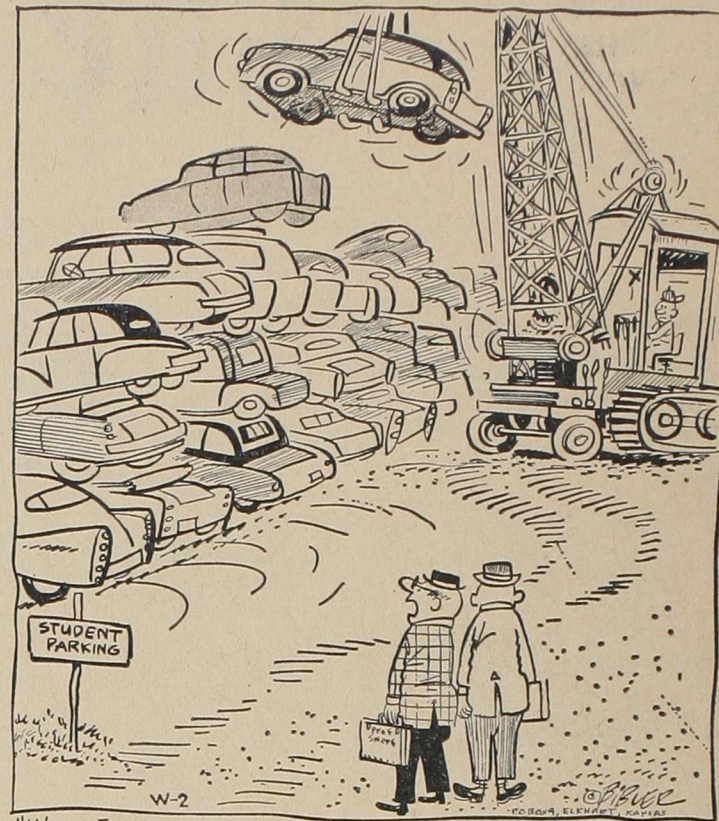
Sam Sanford, Baptist Student director of Louisiana Tech of Ruston, was the featured speaker of a special Spring BSU meeting held at the Baptist Student Center April 21.

Personal conferences with Sanford were held by the Executive Council at which time Sanford discussed the Philosophy and Overall Outlook of the Baptist Student Union.

Joy Lambert, missions chairman of the Centenary BSU and 1959 student missionary to Arizona, discussed the Louisiana Summer Missions program.

## Forgiveness Day?

## LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



"WELL, I'M GLAD TO SEE THEY'VE FINALLY DONE SOMETHING TO SOLVE THE STUDENT PARKING PROBLEM."

## Letters to the Editor

I would like to suggest that for next year, instead of having columns such as "Jay's" and the "ill-fated" one of the first semester, the **Conglomerate** do something more constructive.

My suggestion is that different students write short articles concerning various aspects concerning the students at Centenary. As an example, a member of one of the fraternities or sororities could write about the fraternity-sorority system, both here and nationally. There are many subjects that could be dealt with that are of interest to students here. This could be expanded to include members of the faculty and administration, thereby providing the "much sought" closer ties between the students and the faculty and administration.

Try it!

Bob Durham

Dear Mr. Durham:

Your suggestion is appreciated—but have you not read anything in the **CONGLOMERATE** this year? EVERY issue has contained a notice that "communications or comments from the student body or faculty on any subject are welcome." Other than this weekly statement, several issues have contained editorials stressing student, faculty and administrative response. I have received numerous letters and have printed them all. Also, I have assigned or received openly a number of articles on issues of interest.

Kathy Mack began the year with articles on such issues, striving to stir up some interest or some response from the apparently "opinionless" campus life. Her articles were met solely with condemnations from people who feel as you do—that something should be done, but somebody else is welcome to do it!

I thank you for your suggestion. I HAVE tried it!!!

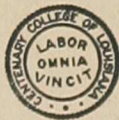
P. S.

It has been discussed in Student Senate meetings that we as students should take more pride in our Student Center.

One thing we would especially like to call to the attention of the students is the terrible habit of putting cigarettes out on the floor of the center. Not only is it impolite, but doing such has left permanent burned spots on the floor.

Really, we as college students can act a little more adult than this.

Connie Gathright,  
Student Senate Secretary



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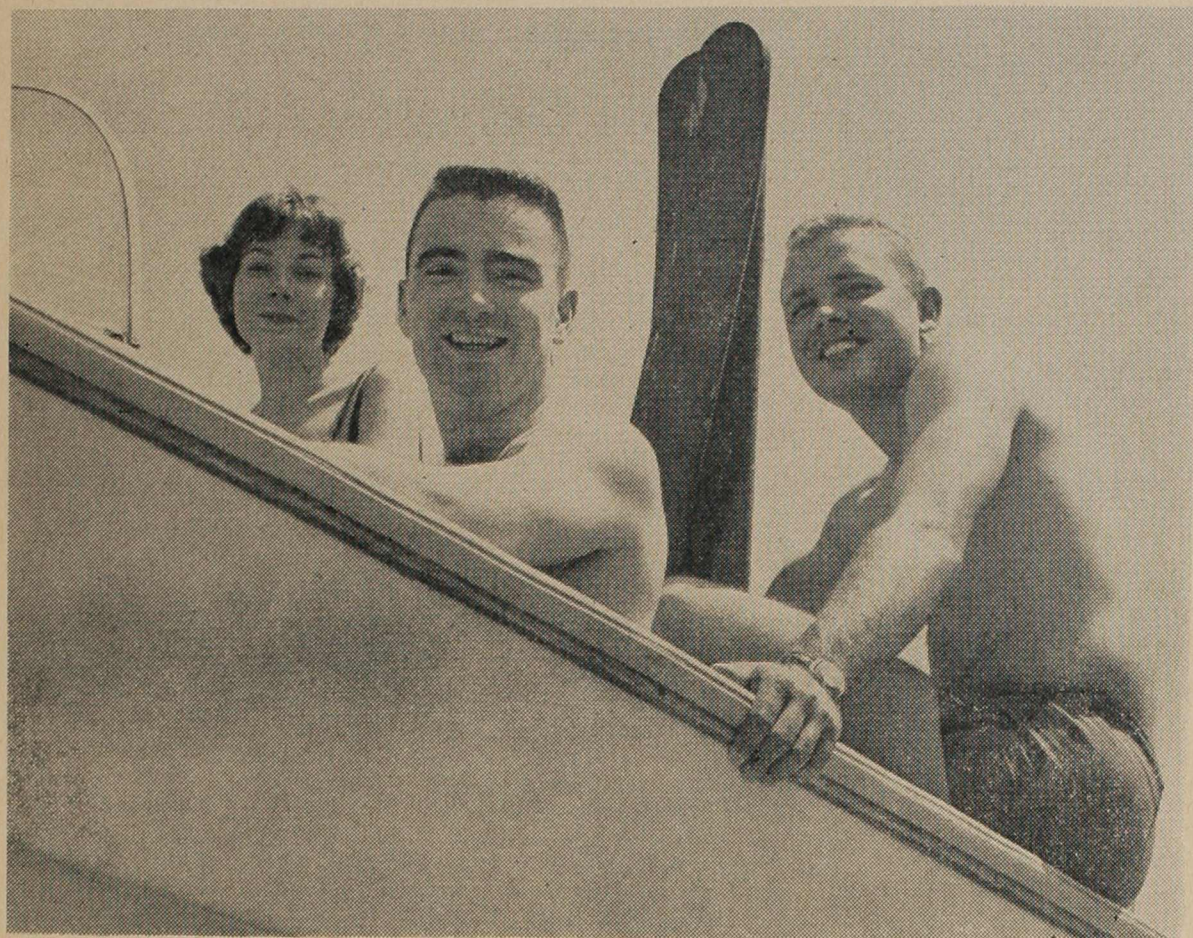
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Personalities Tommy Ann Ford, Carlton Chambers and Johnny Lawrence pause in a friendly smiley pose for a rather damp photographer on one of their recent skiing trips. The trio is preparing to turn around and go pick up Betsy Gould, the fourth personality, who just fell out of the boat.

## Personalities'

# Embarrassing Moments

"Once I was invited to a party at the house of some people whom I didn't know very well. After the party had been in progress for nearly forty-five minutes, I realized I was at the wrong house." This embarrassing experience happened to Tommy Ann Ford, sophomore personality.

She hails from Shreveport and is majoring in history, sociology and psychology. Tommy Ann is a transfer to Centenary this semester. "I love Centenary because it is friendly and because it is a co-ed school. But, please tell all my teachers that I am Miss and not Mr. Ford."

Tommy Ann lists her favorite activities as golf, tennis, reading and Chi Omega. "I have sworn off public speaking ever since my 'accident' in school last year. I was walking across the stage toward the rostrum when I tripped and fell, knocking the speakers' stand off the stage. I disappeared from the stage so fast that no one ever did find out what I was going to say!"

We are very glad to welcome Tommy Ann to the campus and hope that her life here will be peaceful.

## PANDA

Carlton Chambers is our junior class personality this week. He is from El Dorado, Ark., and has attended Centenary for three years. Carl's neighbors in Rotary Hall have fondly nicknamed him Panda.

Some of Carl's activities on campus include being a member of Gamma Beta Gamma and Alpha Sigma Chi. He is secretary of Alpha Epsilon Delta. This semester Carl was initiated into Kappa Alpha fraternity. He plays a trumpet in Centenary's band and practicing it is his favorite pastime.

Once after staying up all night in the qualitative lab to run an unknown, Carl turned in his report of ions present in a sleepless daze. A few minutes later he checked his notebook again and found that he had misread his notations and had turned in a list of the ions not present. It took another agonizing

hour of sleeplessness to fish the report back out from under Dr. Emerich's door and make the corrections.

Carl is looking for a job this summer. He wants a position as a leaf-tearer. He says, "you know, to tear the leaves off the calendar every month."

## SINGING BETSY

Betsy Gould, this week's freshman personality is well known by everyone who saw the Freshman Follies. She played the part of Laury in Oklahoma. Betsy is a liberal arts major from New Orleans. Besides singing in the Freshman Follies she is a member of the Centenary Choir, and sings in Noel Methodist choir.

During Freshman Follies Betsy suffered from bruised legs. "Every time I finished a solo, I would be so blinded by the lights that I couldn't see anything. I always fell over the risers that were behind me. The audience must have wondered what that small crash was after each of my solos."

Betsy also has great difficulty finding her way around Shreveport. One day she was so hopelessly lost that she had to appeal to a policeman for help. He not only showed her how to get back to school, but

personally escorted Betsy all the way to the steps of Hardin Hall. He then pointed at the building and said "There is the dorm." "I was so embarrassed" sighed Betsy.

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## "SHORT SHORTS"

"I LIKE THE WEATHER TO BE NICE AND SHINY SO I CAN WEAR MY BERMUDAS," is what Junior Personality, Johnny Lawrence, says about spring weather. When asked where he is from, Johnny says, "You spell it B-O-S-S-I-E-R C-I-T-Y, it is in Louisiana."

Johnny thinks that the new fad of wearing Bermuda shorts to class should come to Centenary as it has to universities in California, Oklahoma, and also to L. S. U. He is trying to bring the boys' sport clothes up-to-date on our campus.

Johnny is a pledge of Kappa Sigma Fraternity. He also enjoys being third baseman of a baseball intramurals team, playing golf, going skin diving, and recording other's records on his hi-fi tape recorder. While at the University of Oklahoma, Johnny was an active member of the Pershing Rifles.

This personality plans to get his A.B. Degree from Centenary and to attend L. S. U. Law School for his Law Degree.

# 'ROUND BIG C ENTENARY

By GINNY EMERSON

A belated congratulations to co-eds **Judy Bayliss** and **Edith Elliott**, who have pledged their loyalties to Zeta Tau Alpha.

Florida was the destination of **Roxie Lewis**, **Donna Howell**, and **Rosalind Verduzco**. They attended the Alpha Xi Delta Convention. Also, they seemed to have had a pretty good time at the beach, eh, **Roxie**?

**Bryant Davidson**, **Mary Warters**, **Lee Morgan**, and **Virginia Carlton** were some members of the faculty who enjoyed lemonade and cookies at the Chi O house Tuesday during the break. The local chapter had a Faculty Patio Party. A good time was enjoyed by all.

Congratulations to the newly elected Senate Officers!

**Tommy Ann Ford** can be seen proudly wearing the pledge pin of Chi Omega; congratulations, **Tommy Ann**. While **Tommy Ann** is enthused over her pledging, **Patsi West** is pretty excited about being initiated into Chi Omega.

**Linda Erickson** and **Pheribee Monroe** were honored Monday night at the Alpha Xi meeting with a bridal shower. Enjoying the refreshments and excitement of the gifts were **Sandy Whitlock**, **Gail Granter**, **Cornelia Agurs**, **Nora-Bess Stafford**, and **Kay France**.

**Diane Simmons**, **Sally Herring**, **Dan Herndon**, and **Jimmie Hamric**

recently took a trip to DeQuincy, Louisiana, on a sociology field trip. Hear you ran out of gas?????

Newly elected officers of the Pep Squad are as follows: **Judy Rhodes**, president; **Patsi West**, vice-president; **Fran Lorient**, secretary; and **Louella Bains**, treasurer. Congratulations.

Welcome back, **Diane Caldwell**; we missed seeing you around campus.

Hearne's



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## Graham Heads List In Batting Average

Centenary's Gentlemen, whose sweep against Arkansas gave them three wins in their last four games, are currently being paced by center fielders Gene Bennett, Dave Graham, and James Rhea Love.

Graham is sporting the highest batting average, .750. Among the regulars, Bennett is batting .371 and Love .333. Bennett and Kalmbach have slugged the only triples and first baseman Jack Crawford has the only home run.

Victory is the team leader in doubles with four. Monk has pitched the most wins, two, and the most losses, four. He also maintains the best earned run average, 4.05, among hurlers who have worked over twenty innings. As a team the Gents are batting .270, and the pitching staff has a 5.74 earned run record.

## Baritone Concert To Be Conclusion Of Lyceum Series

Theodor Uppman of the Metropolitan Opera Company will conclude the 1959-60 Lyceum Series with a vocal recital Tuesday, May 3. He will sing at 10:40 a.m. in the Brown Memorial Chapel.

Joseph M. Running, director of the school of music, will introduce Mr. Lippman. Running was on the faculty of Stanford University in Palo Alto, Calif., at the time Uppman was affiliated with the Opera Workshop there, and the campus pianist has served as Uppman's accompanist on several occasions.

Since he made his debut at the Metropolitan Opera in 1953 as the male lead in the revival of "Pelleas et Melisande," Uppman has achieved many successes at the Met. He is slated to sing roles in "La Boheme," "Pagliacci," "Ariadne auf Naxos" and "Don Giovanni" with the San Francisco Opera Co. this year.

The baritone is a native of California and a former member of the a capella high school choir in Palo Alto. He studied at the Curtis Institute of Music in Philadelphia on a scholarship, then studied at Stanford and at the University of Southern California. Following his military service during World War II, he returned to his native state to sing the role of Pelleas opposite the famed Maggie Teyte with the San Francisco Symphony under Pierre Monteux. After appearing in this concert version of the Debussy opera, he and Miss Teyte appeared in a complete performance of "Pelleas et Melisande" at the New York City Opera.

Uppman has sung in every state of the union and is well known for radio and television appearances as well as for his work in opera and recitals.

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Mumma, 3b	13	45	7	13	3	0	0	6	1	.289
Richard, of-p	13	40	6	11	1	0	0	8	1	.275
McCoy, 2b-ss	13	44	8	12	1	0	0	3	8	.273
Victory, ss-2b	13	39	11	10	4	0	0	8	1	.256
Kalmbach, p-of	12	24	4	6	1	1	0	5	0	.250
Crawford, 1b-p	12	38	2	8	2	0	1	10	0	.211
Everett, p-1b	7	10	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	.200
King, p-1b	7	12	1	1	1	0	0	2	0	.083
Jarrell, of	9	13	2	1	0	0	0	2	0	.077
Holmes, rf	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Moore, rf	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
TOTALS	378	61	102	16	2	1	55	12	270	

### CENTENARY PITCHING

Player	G	CG	IP	H	R-ER	SO	BB	W	L	ERA
Everett	4	1	10 $\frac{2}{3}$	10	9-4	3	10	1	1	3.28
Crawford	3	0	5	2	3-2	1	7	0	0	3.60
Monk	8	2	39 $\frac{2}{3}$	46	46-18	20	24	2	4	4.05
Richard	2	0	11 $\frac{2}{3}$	11	7-7	2	15	0	1	5.25
King	7	1	20 $\frac{2}{3}$	40	26-22	11	9	1	3	9.43
Kalmbach	3	0	6 $\frac{1}{3}$	10	8-7	3	4	0	0	10.50
TOTALS	4	94	119	99-60	40	109	4	9	5.74	

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## Arkansas Pigs Suffer Double Defeat by Gents

By TOMMY HADLEY

Striving for late-season fame, Centenary's fast improving Gents came from behind twice last weekend to defeat Arkansas University 14-12 and 3-2. Friday afternoon spectators saw the Gents blast 16 hits while the Razorbacks collected 14 safeties — three of which were later found at Murrell's Grill.

The Pigs started the slam session by picking up three runs in the first stanza, and not until the fourth stanza did the Gents come alive with nine runs. At this point Jim Love, Phil Mumma, and Vernon Kalmbach rapped out singles and were brought home by Crawford, Richard, Monk, McCoy, and Jarrell. Love and Mumma returned the favor by blasting two more hits.

The Gents sported a 9-5 lead, the Pigs having tallied a fourth run on "Bullet" Alworth's tremendous ball playing. Arkansas unleashed its power in the sixth on back to back homers by Foster and a Williams twin, with ducks on the pond bringing the count to 10-8. The score was knotted in the eighth inning, which saw every available Gent hurler go down—King twice.

Monk started on the Gent mound and was followed by King, who was followed by Crawford, who was followed by King, who pitched brilliant ball in the ninth by fanning all three 'Backs at a very appropriate moment and taking the win.

Saturday's contest, witnessed by 100, was sparked by four-hit pitching in 8 $\frac{1}{2}$  innings by Richard and pitcher Ed Monk who retired a bases loaded, no out, top of batting order Razorback half of the tenth inning and then batted in the winning run in the Gent half. Monk's clutch single with two outs scoring Victory from second enabled the Gentlemen to sweep the two-game series and increase their record to 4-9.

The Gents must win every remaining game to even their average. The Gents play Louisiana College here May 2, Northwestern here May 10 and Ouachita Baptist College here May 14.

## KAs Ease Past Traditional Foes

By TOMMY HADLEY

The big game of the year has been played and the Kappa Alpha team defeated their traditional softball rivals Kappa Sigma, 6-5. Spiro Cosse hurled near perfect ball for the Kappa Sigs until the boys in gray exploded in the last inning.

With no outs and bases loaded, Tommy Hadley squeezed in the tying run, and immediately after, Cosse threw a wild pitch allowing Ralph Mason to score from third and ending the ball game. Mason hurled the win and Mike Ramming took batting honors by going three for three.

In other games the Golden Pheasants have won three games, but two are under protest for the G.P.'s playing an illegal man. This leaves, at present, Kappa Alpha and MSM tied for first place. Due to Holiday in Dixie, no games were played last week.

### Men's Intramural Standings

	Won	Lost
Kappa Alpha	2	0
MSM	2	0
Golden Pheasants	1	0
Kappa Sigma	1	1
BSU	0	3
Cossa's Robbers	0	2

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